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**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Hawaii State Bar Association; Hawaii Women Lawyers

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**Kevin S. C. Chang**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: Lewis & Clark 1975 BS, 1978 JD  
Began Service: December 2000  
Term Expires: December 2008

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert C. Belloni, United States District Court District of Oregon (1978-1980)

**Government:** Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, City and County of Honolulu, Hawaii (1980-1981)

**Judicial:** Judge, Hawaii First Circuit Court (1993-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Watanabe Ing & Kawashima (1981-1993)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Hawaii State Bar Association

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Chief Bankruptcy Judge

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Began Service: February 14, 2002  
Term Expires: February 13, 2016

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Education: American U 1982 MS; Northeastern 1978 BS  
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**B. Lynn Winmill**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Idaho State 1974 BA; Harvard 1979 JD  
Began Service: August 16, 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Idaho State University (1991-1995)

**Judicial:** Judge, Idaho District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1987-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Holland & Hart; Burnett & Winmill; Manning, Holmes & Winmill; Trial Lawyer, Hawley, Troxell, Ennis & Hawley

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**Edward J. Lodge**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
Education: Col-Idaho 1957 BS; Idaho 1961 LLB  
Began Service: 1989  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Judicial:** Probate Judge, Canyon County (1963-1965); Judge, Idaho District Court (1965-1988); Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Idaho (1988-1989)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Smith & Miller (1962-1963)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; Federal District Court Judges Association; Idaho District Judges Association; Idaho State Bar and Idaho Law Foundation, Inc.; Idaho Trial Lawyers Association

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**Larry M. Boyle**

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Brigham Young 1968 BS; Idaho 1972 JD  
Began Service: 1992  
Term Expires: 2008

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Supreme Court of Idaho (1972)

**Judicial:** Judge, Idaho Seventh Judicial District (1986-1989); Justice, Supreme Court of Idaho (1989-1992)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Hansen, Boyle, Beard & Martin (1973-1986)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court

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**Mikel H. Williams**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Idaho 1969 LLB  
Began Service: 1984  
Term Expires: 2008

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Idaho, United States Department of Justice (1973-1977)

**Judicial:** Military Judge, Judge Advocate General, United States Army (1972-1973)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Collins, Manley & Williams (1977-1984)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1969-1993)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Idaho State Bar and Idaho Law Foundation, Inc.

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**Terry L. Myers**

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
Education: Idaho 1980 JD  
Began Service: August 1, 1998  
Term Expires: July 31, 2012

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. McFadden, Idaho Supreme Court (1980-1981); Law Clerk The Honorable M. Young, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Idaho (1981-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Givens, Pursley, LLP (1984-1998)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Staff**

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**Jim D. Pappas**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
 Education: Idaho 1977 JD  
 Term Expires: 2018

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

**Academic:** Idaho State (1974)

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Idaho

**Legal Practice:** Service, Gasser & Kerl

**Current Memberships:** National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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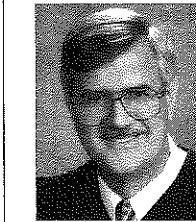
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**Michael P. McCuskey**

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Illinois State 1970 BS;  
 Saint Louis U 1975 JD  
 Began Service: May 4, 1998  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Public Defender, Marshall County, Illinois (1976-1988)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, 10th Judicial Circuit (1988-1990); Justice, Illinois Appellate Court, Third District (1990-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Law Firm of Pace, McCuskey & Galley (1975-1988)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Illinois Judges Association; Illinois State Bar Association; Peoria County Bar Association

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**Joe Billy McDade**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1937  
 Education: Bradley 1959 BS, 1960 MA; Michigan 1963 JD  
 Began Service: December 13, 1991  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Academic:** Executive Trainee, First Federal Savings & Loan Association (1965)

**Government:** Staff Attorney, Antitrust Division, United States Department of Justice (1963-1965)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, 10th Judicial Circuit (1982-1988); Judge, Illinois Circuit Court (1988-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Executive Director, Greater Peoria Legal Aid Society (1965-1969); Partner, Hafele & McDade (1968-1977); Private Practice (1977-1982)

**Current Memberships:** Peoria County Bar Association

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Law Clerk **Michelle Schneiderheinze** ..... (309) 671-7821  
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**Michael M. Mihm**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
 Education: Loras 1964 BA; Saint Louis U 1967 JD  
 Began Service: August 22, 1982  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, St. Louis County, Missouri (1967-1968); Assistant State's Attorney, Peoria County, State of Illinois (1968-1969); Police Legal Advisor and Assistant Corporation Counsel, City of Peoria, State of Illinois (1969-1972); State's Attorney, Peoria County, State of Illinois (1972-1980).

**Judicial:** Chief Judge, US District Court for the Central District of Illinois (1991-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1980-1982)

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**Jeanne E. Scott**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Bradley 1970 BA; Northwestern 1973 JD  
 Began Service: November 30, 1998  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, County of Sagamon, Illinois (1973-1978)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit (1979-1988); Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit (1988-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Charles J. Gramlich Law Offices (1978-1979)

**Current Memberships:** The Lincoln-Douglas American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Central Illinois Women's Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; Sangamon County Bar Association

**Staff**

Law Clerk **S. Christina Kwon** ..... (217) 492-4000

Term Expires: August 2007

Education: Georgetown 2000 BS; Virginia 2005 JD

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Education: Northwestern 1978 BA;

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**Harold Albert Baker**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
 Education: Illinois 1951 BA, 1956 LLB  
 Began Service: 1978  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Adjunct Instructor, University of Illinois College of Law (1972-1978)

**Government:** Senior Counsel, Presidential Commission on the Central Intelligence Agency Activities in the United States, Executive Office of the President, Gerald Ford Administration (1974-1975)

**Legal Practice:** Hatch & Corazza (1956-1960); Partner, Wheat, Hatch, Corazza & Baker (1960-1978)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1951-1953)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Champaign County Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

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**Richard Mills**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
 Education: Illinois Col 1951 BA; Mercer 1957 JD; Virginia 1982 LLM  
 Began Service: August 27, 1985  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
 Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Legal Advisor, Youth Commission (1958-1960); State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1960-1964)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit (1966-1976); Justice, Illinois Appellate Court, Fourth District (1976-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Mills Law Office (1957-1966)

**Military Service:** Third Infantry Division, United States Army (1952-1954); COL, United States Army Reserve (1954-1985); Brig. General, Illinois Militia (1986-1990); Major General, Illinois Militia (1990)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Chicago Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Illinois State Bar Association

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**Charles H. Evans**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1922  
Education: Illinois 1947 BA, 1948 JD  
Began Service: 1977

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1949-1956);  
Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1962-1976)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1957-1962)

**Military Service:** United States Army Air Force (1942-1945)

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**David G. Bernthal**  
Magistrate Judge  
Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Illinois 1972 BA, 1976 JD  
Began Service: May 1, 1995  
Term Expires: April 30, 2011  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Fifth Judicial Circuit (1987-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1976-1986)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Magistrate Judges Association

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**Byron G. Cudmore**  
Magistrate Judge  
Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Illinois 1974 BS; Southern Illinois 1977 JD  
Began Service: September 1, 1997  
Term Expires: September 1, 2013

**Government:** Sangamon County State Attorney's Office (1978-1985); First Assistant United States Attorney, Central District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1985-1993); United States Attorney, Central District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1993)

**Legal Practice:** Hinshaw & Culbertson (1995-1997)

**Current Memberships:** The Lincoln-Douglas American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Sangamon County Bar Association

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**John A. Gorman**  
Magistrate Judge  
Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Illinois JD  
Began Service: February 18, 2000  
Term Expires: February 17, 2008

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Illinois 10th Judicial Circuit (1980-1990); Judge, Illinois Appellate Court, Third District (1990-1992); Judge, Illinois 10th Judicial Circuit (1993-2000)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Civil Practice Section Council, Illinois Institute for Continuing Legal Education; Illinois Judges Association; Illinois State Bar Association; Lawyers Assistance Program (IL); Peoria County Bar Association; Tazewell County Bar Association

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Education: St Mary-of-the-Woods 1998 BA

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**Thomas L. Perkins**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge  
Date of Birth: 1958  
Education: Iowa 1980 BBA; Indiana 1984 JD  
Began Service: July 2000  
Term Expires: July 2014

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Kavanagh, Scully, Sudow, White & Frederick (1984-1994); Partner, Quinn, Johnston, Henderson & Pretorius (1994-1998); Partner, Vonachen, Lawless, Trager & Slevin (1998-2000)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; Real Estate Section, Commercial Banking and Bankruptcy Section, Illinois State Bar Association

**Staff**  
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**Gerald D. Fines**  
Bankruptcy Judge  
Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Eastern Illinois 1965 BS, 1967 MS; Kentucky 1970 JD  
Began Service: August 19, 1987  
Term Expires: August 18, 2015

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Illinois

**Academic:** Instructor, Commercial Law, Eastern Illinois University (1966-1967)

**Government:** Deputy Director and Acting Director, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1970-1976); United States Attorney, Central District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1977-1986)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of Illinois (1987-2000); Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California

**Legal Practice:** Giffin, Winning, Linder, Cohen & Bodewes

**Military Service:** United States Army (1958-1960)

**Current Memberships:** The District of Columbia Bar; Illinois State Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Illinois 1957 BS, 1963 LLB  
Began Service: June 20, 2000  
Term Expires: December 31, 2005

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois; Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge (visiting) William V. Altenberger, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois

**Legal Practice:** Kavanagh, Scully, Sudow, White & Frederick (1964-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1957-1960)

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 Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Illinois 1968 BS, 1971 JD  
 Began Service: May 1, 1985  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, John Marshall Law School; Adjunct Faculty, University of Chicago Law School

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1972-1978)

**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1985-2006)

**Legal Practice:** Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal (1978-1985)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; National Institute of Trial Advocacy

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**Charles Ronald Norgle, Sr.**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1937  
 Education: Northwestern 1964 BBA; John Marshall 1969 JD  
 Began Service: October 1984  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, John Marshall Law School; Adjunct Faculty, Northwestern University Law School

**Chambers of District Judge Charles Ronald Norgle, Sr. *continued***

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1969-1971); Deputy Public Defender, State of Illinois (1971-1973)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, DuPage County Court (1973-1977); Judge, Illinois Circuit Court (1977-1984)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1955-1957)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; DuPage County Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

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**James B. Zagel**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
 Education: Chicago 1962 BA, 1962 MA; Harvard 1965 JD  
 Began Service: 1987

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Lecturer, Northwestern University School of Law (1968)

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1965-1969); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1969-1977); Chief Prosecuting Attorney, Illinois Judicial Inquiry Board (1973-1975); Chief Assistant Attorney General, Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1975); Executive Director, Illinois Law Enforcement Commission (1977-1979); Director, Department of Revenue, State of Illinois (1979-1980); Chairman, Governor's Advisory Council on Criminal Justice Legislation (1980-1987); Director, Illinois State Police (1980-1987)

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**Wayne R. Andersen**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
 Education: Harvard 1967 AB; Illinois 1970 JD  
 Began Service: 1991  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Member, Chambers of Member Wayne R. Andersen, Judicial Conference of the United States

**Government:** Administrative Assistant, Majority Leader Henry J. Hyde, Office of the Majority Leader, Illinois House of Representatives (1970-1972); Deputy Secretary of State, State of Illinois (1981-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial Circuit (1984-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Partner, Burditt & Calkins (1972-1980)

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District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
 Education: Illinois 1962 BA, 1964 JD  
 Began Service: February 12, 1992  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1964-1967); Special Assistant State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1967-1968); State's Attorney, Winnebago County, Illinois (1968-1976)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, 17th Judicial Circuit (1976-1980); Judge, Illinois Court of Appeals, Second District (1980-1992)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Hyer, Gill & Brown (1967-1968)

**Current Memberships:** Winnebago County Bar Association

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**Ruben Castillo**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
 Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1976 BA; Northwestern 1979 JD  
 Began Service: May 13, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Affiliation:** Vice Chair, United States Sentencing Commission

**Chambers of District Judge Ruben Castillo *continued***

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1984-1988); Member, Judicial Selection Task Force, Special Commission on Administration of Justice, State of Illinois (1991-1993); Member, United States Sentencing Commission (1999-2003)

**Judicial:** Deputy Clerk, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1974-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Jenner & Block (1979-1984); Regional Counsel, Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (1988-1991); Partner, Kirkland & Ellis (1991-1994)

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**Blanche M. Manning**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
 Education: John Marshall 1967 JD; Roosevelt 1972 MA; Virginia 1992 LLM  
 Began Service: October 18, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, DePaul University

**Government:** School Teacher, Chicago Board of Education (1961-1967); Assistant State's Attorney, Cook County, Illinois (1968-1973); Supervisory Trial Attorney, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (1973-1977); Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1978-1979)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1979-1986); Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1986-1988); Judge, Illinois Court of Appeals, Cook County (1987-1994)

**Legal Practice:** General Attorney, United Airlines (1977-1978)

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**David H. Coar**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Syracuse 1964 BA; Loyola (Chicago) 1969 JD; Harvard 1970 LLM  
Began Service: November 1, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Professor, DePaul University (1974-1979); Professor, DePaul University (1982-1986)

**Government:** United States Trustee, United States Department of Justice (1979-1982)

**Judicial:** Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1986-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Crawford & Cooper (1971); Adams, Baker & Clemon (1972-1974)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1965-1971)

**Current Memberships:** Alabama State Bar; American Bar Association; The Chicago American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The Chicago Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judicial Center; Legal Club of Chicago; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Robert W. Gettleman**  
District Judge

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Education: Boston U 1965 BSBA; Northwestern 1968 JD  
Began Service: October 21, 1994  
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Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Latham Castle, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1968-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1970-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association

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**Elaine E. Bucklo**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Saint Louis U 1966 AB; Northwestern 1972 JD  
Began Service: October 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Lecturer, Northwestern University (1973); Visiting Professor, University of California, Davis School of Law (1978-1980)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert A. Sprecher, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1972-1973)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1985-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1973-1985)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Litigation Section, American Bar Association; Chicago Council of Lawyers; Federal Bar Association

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District Judge

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Education: Smith 1969 BA; Stanford 1973 JD  
Began Service: September 3, 1996  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School (1983-1984)

**Government:** Staff Attorney, Federal Defender Program (1976-1978)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1984-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Jenner & Block (1973-1976); Associate, Jenner & Block (1978-1981); Partner, Jenner & Block (1981-1982); Staff Attorney, University of Chicago (1983-1984)

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District Judge

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Education: Valparaiso 1976 BA; Chicago 1979 JD  
Began Service: October 21, 1998  
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**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty Member, Loyola University School of Law

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Rosalie E. Wahl, Minnesota Supreme Court (1979-1980)

**Judicial:** Administrative Law Judge, Illinois Human Rights Commission (1985-1991); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1991-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Hopkins & Sutter (1980-1985)

**Current Memberships:** The Chicago Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; Women's Bar Association of Illinois

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**Matthew F. Kennelly**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956  
Education: Notre Dame 1978 BA; Harvard 1981 JD  
Began Service: June 22, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Member of the Board of Directors, Lawyers Committee for Better Housing, Inc. (1984-1999)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Prentice H. Marshall, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1982-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Hedlund, Hunter & Lynch (1981-1982); Associate, Cotsilos, Stephenson, Tighe & Streicker, Ltd. (1984-1989); Partner, Cotsilos, Stephenson, Tighe & Streicker, Ltd. (1989-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The Chicago American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court

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**William J. Hibbler**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Illinois (Chicago) 1969 BS; DePaul 1973 JD  
Began Service: April 15, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Felony Trial Supervisor, Office of the State Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1985-1986)

**Judicial:** Assistant Supervising Judge, Chicago Traffic Court (1986-1987); Felony Trial Judge, Criminal Division, Cook County Circuit Court (1988-1995); Presiding Judge, Juvenile Justice Division, Circuit Court of Cook County (1995-1999)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Belmonte, Kagan, Hibbler & DePalma (1977-1981)

**Current Memberships:** Committee on Criminal Law and Prohibition, Illinois Supreme Court; The Chicago Bar Association; Cook County Bar Association; Illinois Judges Association; Illinois Judicial Council; Illinois State Bar Association

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**Ronald A. Guzman**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Lehigh 1970 BA; NYU 1973 JD  
Began Service: November 16, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant States Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1975-1980); Staff Attorney (Part-time), Association House of Chicago (1980-1984)

**Judicial:** U.S. Magistrate, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1990-1999)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1973-1974); Private Practice (1980-1990)

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District Judge

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**Academic:** Instructor, University of Miami Law School (1980-1981)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Thomas E. Fairchild, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1972-1973)

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**Government:** Attorney, Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago (1972-1975); Administrative Law Judge, Illinois Fair Employment Practices Commission (1975-1977); Chief Administrative Law Judge, Illinois Fair Employment Practices Commission (1977-1979); Executive Director, Cook County Legal Assistance Foundation (1981-1982)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1982-1997); Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1997-2000)

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**John W. Darrah**  
District Judge

Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1965 BS, 1969 JD  
Began Service: September 1, 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Affiliation:** Faculty, National Institute for Trial Advocacy; Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School; Adjunct Professor, Northern Illinois University  
**Government:** President, DuPage American Inns of Court; President, DuPage County Bar Association; Public Guardian, County of DuPage, Illinois; Public Administrator, County of DuPage, Illinois; Attorney Advisor Federal Trade Commission (1969-1971); Deputy Public Defender (part-time), Office of the Public Defender, County of DuPage, Illinois (1971-1973); Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1973-1976)

**Judicial:** Judge, 18th Judicial Circuit Court of Illinois (1986-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Cox, Lyle & Darrah (1971-1973); Partner, Ryan & Darrah (1976-1981); Partner, Ryan, Darrah & Stringini (1981-1984); Sole Practitioner (1984-1986)

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**Amy J. St. Eve**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: November 20, 1965  
Education: Cornell 1987 BA, 1990 JD  
Began Service: August 30, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Corporate:** Senior Counsel, Abbott Laboratories (2001-2002)

**Chambers of District Judge Amy J. St. Eve** continued

**Government:** Associate Independent Counsel, Whitewater Independent Counsel, City of Little Rock, Arkansas (1994-1996); Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1996-2001)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Davis Polk & Wardwell (1990-1994)

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**Samuel Der-Yeghiayan**  
District Judge

Began Service: August 4, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Staff**

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**Mark Filip**  
District Judge

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Education: Illinois 1988 BA; Harvard 1992 JD  
Began Service: February 2004

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**Virginia M. Kendall**  
District Judge

Began Service: December 30, 2005  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice

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**John F. Grady**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Northwestern 1952 BS, 1954 JD  
Began Service: 1976  
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1956-1961); Member, Illinois Supreme Court Registration and Disciplinary Commission (1973-1976)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Sonnenschein, Berkson, Lautmann, Levinson & Morse (1954-1956); Associate, Snyder, Clarke, Dalziel, Holmquist & Johnson (1961-1963); Sole Practitioner (1963-1976)

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**Marvin E. Aspen**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1956 BS; Northwestern 1958 JD  
Began Service: July 24, 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter



**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Northwestern University School of Law (1969-1992)

**Government:** Law Clerk, United States Department of Justice; Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1960-1963); Assistant Corporation Counsel, Head of Appeals and Review Division, Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of Chicago, Illinois (1963-1971)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial Circuit (1971-1979); Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1979-1995); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1995-2002); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2000-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1959); Private Practice (1971)

**Military Service:** Judge Advocate General Section, United States Army; Illinois National Guard (1959); United States Air Force Reserve (1960-1964)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

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Began Service: 2006  
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**James Byron Moran**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1930  
Education: Michigan 1952 BA; Harvard 1957 LLB  
Began Service: 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. Edward Lumbard, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1957-1958)

**Government:** State Representative, Illinois General Assembly (1965-1966)

**Legal Practice:** Bell, Boyd, Lloyd, Haddad & Burns (1958-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1952-1954)

**Current Memberships:** Bar Association of the Seventh Federal Circuit; The Chicago Bar Association; Chicago Council of Lawyers; Lawyers Club of Chicago

**Staff**

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**Milton I. Shadur**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1924  
Education: Chicago 1943 BS, 1949 JD  
Began Service: June 1980  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Goldberg, Devoe & Brussell (1949-1951); Partner, Goldberg, Devoe, Brussell & Shadur (1951-1956); Partner, Goldberg, Devoe, Shadur & Mikva (1956-1961); Partner, Devoe, Shadur, Mikva & Plotkin (1961-1968); Partner, Devoe, Shadur, Plotkin, Krupp & Miller (1969-1973); Partner, Devoe, Shadur, Plotkin & Krupp (1973-1979); Partner, Shadur, Krupp & Miller (1979-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1943-1946)

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**William T. Hart**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1951 JD  
Began Service: May 1, 1982  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1954-1956); Special Assistant Attorney General, Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1957-1958); Special Assistant State's Attorney, Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1960)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, DeFrees & Fiske (1956-1959); Associate and Partner, Schiff, Hardin & Waite (1959-1982)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1951-1953)

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**Chambers of Senior Judge William T. Hart** *continued*

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**John A. Nordberg**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1926  
Education: Michigan 1950 JD  
Began Service: May 6, 1982  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Attorney, Wilmette Park District, State of Illinois (1958-1976); Attorney, Village of Glenview, State of Illinois (1961-1965); Attorney, Village of Morton Grove, State of Illinois (1969-1974)

**Judicial:** Magistrate, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1957-1962); Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District, State of Illinois (1976-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Pope, Ballard, Shepard & Fowle (1950-1957); Partner, Pope, Ballard, Shepard & Fowle (1957-1976)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1944-1946)

**Nonprofit:** Arbitrator, American Arbitration Association (1970-1975)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The Chicago Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Chicago; Legal Club of Chicago

**Staff**

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**Paul E. Plunkett**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Harvard 1957 AB, 1960 LLB  
Began Service: 1983  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Director, Trial Practice Program, Loyola Law School (1977-1982); Adjunct Professor, Chicago-Kent College of Law (2001)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1963-1966)

**Legal Practice:** Mayer, Brown & Platt (1960-1963); Partner, Plunkett, Nisen, Elliot, & Meyer (1966-1978); Partner, Mayer, Brown & Platt (1978-1983)

**Staff**

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**Harry D. Leinenweber**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: June 3, 1937  
Education: Notre Dame 1959 BA;  
Chicago 1962 JD  
Began Service: January 17, 1986  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** City Attorney, City of Joliet, Illinois (1963-1967); Special Counsel, Village of Park Forest, Illinois (1967-1974); Special Prosecutor, Will County, Illinois (1968-1970); State Representative Harry D. Leinenweber (R-IL), Illinois General Assembly (1973-1983); Special Counsel, Village of Bolingbrook, Illinois (1975-1977); Special Counsel, Will County Forest Preserve (1977)

**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1986-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Dunn, Stefanich, McGarry & Kennedy (1962-1979); Partner, Dunn, Leinenweber & Dunn (1979-1986)

**Current Memberships:** Illinois State Bar Association; Illinois Trial Lawyers Association; National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws; Will County Bar Association

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**George M. Marovich**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931  
Education: Illinois 1952 BS, 1954 JD  
Began Service: 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Instructor, Thornton (1977-1988)

**Corporate:** Chicago Title & Trust Company (1954-1959); Vice-President and Trust Officer, South Holland Trust & Savings Bank (1966-1976)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial Circuit (1976-1988)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Jacobs & Marovich (1959-1966)

**Current Memberships:** The Chicago Bar Association; Illinois Judges Association; Illinois Judicial Conference; South Suburban Bar Association

**Staff**

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**George W. Lindberg**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1932  
Education: Northwestern 1954 BS, 1957 JD  
Began Service: November 9, 1989  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** State Representative George Lindbergh, Illinois General Assembly (1967-1973); Comptroller, State of Illinois (1973-1977); Deputy Attorney General, Illinois, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1977-1978)

**Judicial:** Justice, Illinois Appellate Court, Second Judicial District (1978-1989)

**Legal Practice:** John E. Reid & Associates (1955-1968); Franz, Franz, Wardell & Lindberg (1968-1970); Private Practice (1970-1973)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Judges Association

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**Suzanne B. Conlon**

Senior Judge

Education: Mundelein 1963 AB; Loyola (Chicago) 1968 JD  
Began Service: 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Law School, DePaul University (1972-1973); Lecturer, DePaul University (1973-1975); Adjunct Professor, Northwestern University (1991-1995)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Edwin A. Robson, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1968-1971)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois (1976-1977); Assistant United States Attorney, Central District of California (1978-1982); Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois (1982-1986); Executive Director, United States Sentencing Commission (1986-1988); Special Counsel to Associate Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1988)

**Legal Practice:** Pattishall, McAuliffe & Hostetter (1972-1973); Associate, Schiff, Hardin & Waite (1973-1975)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; International Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Chicago

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**Charles P. Kocoras**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: DePaul 1961 BS, 1969 JD  
Began Service: November 24, 1980  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Government:** Revenue Agent, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1962-1969); Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1971-1977); First Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1977-1978); Chairman, Illinois Commerce Commission (1977-1979)

**Judicial:** Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Bishop & Crawford (1969-1971); Partner, Stone, McGuire, Benjamin & Kocoras (1979-1980)

**Military Service:** Illinois Army National Guard (1961-1967)

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**Morton Denlow**  
Presiding Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Washington U (MO) 1969 AB; Northwestern 1972 JD  
Began Service: March 1, 1996  
Term Expires: March 2012

**Academic:** Senior Lecturer, Loyola University School of Law (1983-1995); Adjunct Professor for Trial Advocacy, Northwestern University School of Law (1990-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk and Associate, D'Ancona & Pflaum (1971-1977); Associate, Rosenthal & Schanfield (1977-1979); Partner, Schnoff & Weaver, Ltd. (1979-1984); Partner, Dardick & Denlow (1984-1993); Of Counsel, Schnoff & Weaver, Ltd. (1993-1996)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1970-1976)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judges Association; The Chicago Bar Association; The Decalogue Society of Lawyers; Illinois State Bar Association; Jewish Judges Association of Illinois

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**P. Michael Mahoney**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: St Ambrose 1968 BA; Illinois 1971 JD  
Began Service: 1976

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**Arlander Keys**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: DePaul 1972 BA, 1975 JD  
Began Service: February 21, 1995  
Term Expires: February 2011

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, John Marshall School of Law

**Government:** Trial Attorney, National Labor Relations Board (1975-1980); Regional Attorney, Chicago Region, Federal Labor Relations Authority (1980-1986)

**Judicial:** Administrative Law Judge, Office of Hearings and Appeals, Social Security Administration, Department of Health and Human Services (1986-1988); Chief Administrative Law Judge, Office of Hearings and Appeals, Social Security Administration, Department of Health and Human Services (1988-1995)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1963-1967)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association; Cook County Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Illinois Judicial Council

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**Martin C. Ashman**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1931  
Education: DePaul 1953 JD  
Began Service: 1995  
Term Expires: 2011

**Government:** Corporation Counsel, Village of Morton Grove, Illinois (1977-1987)

**Judicial:** Commissioner, Illinois Court of Claims (1974-1987); Judge, Circuit Court of Illinois (1987-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Martin C. Ashman, Ltd. and Ashman & Jaffe (1954-1987)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association; The Decalogue Society of Lawyers; Federal Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

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**Nan R. Nolan**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: DePaul 1975 JD  
Began Service: July 6, 1998  
Term Expires: July 5, 2014

**Legal Practice:** Federal Defender Program; Law Offices of Nan R. Nolan; Law Offices of Patrick A. Tuite

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association; National Association of Criminal Defense Attorneys

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**Sidney I. Schenkier**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
Education: Northwestern 1976 BSJ, 1979 JD  
Began Service: October 30, 1998  
Term Expires: October 30, 2014



**Affiliation:** Adjunct Instructor, Clinical Trial Advocacy Program, Northwestern University

**Academic:** Bigelow Teaching Fellow, University of Chicago Law School (1980-1981)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Marvin E. Aspen, United States District Court for the Northern District Illinois (1979-1980)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Jenner & Block (1981-1985); Partner, Jenner & Block (1986-1998)

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**Geraldine Soat Brown**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Dayton BA; Chicago 1975 JD  
Began Service: June 19, 2000  
Term Expires: June 18, 2008

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Chicago-Kent College of Law (1993-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Miller Shakman & Hamilton (1975-2000)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association; Chicago Council of Lawyers; Illinois State Bar Association; Women's Bar Association of Illinois

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Law Clerk **Jennifer Hardgrove** ..... (312) 435-7551  
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Law Clerk **Sanya Sarich** ..... (312) 435-5612  
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**Michael T. Mason**  
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 29, 2001

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**Jeffrey Cole**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: September 1942  
Began Service: May 6, 2005  
Term Expires: May 2013

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association

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**Eugene R. Wedoff**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Chicago 1972 BA, 1975 JD  
Began Service: September 16, 1987  
Term Expires: 2015

**Legal Practice:** Jenner & Block (1975-1987)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; National Bankruptcy Conference; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Bankruptcy Judge

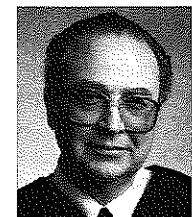
Date of Birth: 1931  
Education: Yale 1952 BA, 1955 LLB, 1955 JD  
Began Service: May 9, 1985  
Term Expires: November 5, 2013

**Academic:** Instructor, Yale University (1954-1955); Instructor, University Georgia (1957-1958); Visiting Professor, University of Illinois, Chicago Circle Campus (1974-1978)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1963-1970); Assistant United States Attorney, Chief, Civil Division, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1966-1968); First Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1968-1970); First Assistant State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1971-1973); Board Member, North Shore Mass Transit District (1981-1984); Trustee, Northbrook Village Board (1984-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Schmetterer & Schmetterer (1958-1963); Partner, Freeman, Schmetterer, Freeman & Salzman (1970-1971); Partner, Gottlieb & Schwartz (1973-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1956-1958)

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**Susan Pierson Sonderby**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Illinois 1969 BA; John Marshall 1973 JD  
Began Service: October 1, 1986  
Term Expires: September 30, 2014

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, DePaul University (1986)

**Government:** Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1972-1977); Assistant Attorney General, Litigation Section, Consumer Protection Division, State of Illinois (1977-1978); Assistant Attorney General and Chief, Consumer Protection Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1978-1983); Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1983); United States Trustee, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1986)

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1998-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, O'Brien, Garrison, Berard, Kusta & De Witt (1973-1977)

**Current Memberships:** American Association for Justice; American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Chicago Chapter, Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Education: DePaul 1982 BA

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**John H. Squires**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Illinois 1968 BA, 1971 JD  
Began Service: January 1988  
Term Expires: December 31, 2016

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School (1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Brown, Hay & Stephens (1971-1988)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1969)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Union League Club of Chicago

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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: John Marshall JD  
Began Service: March 23, 1998  
Term Expires: March 22, 2012

**Government:** Assistant Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, County of Kane, Illinois (1977-1978); Chairman, Illinois Human Rights Commission (1980-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Miller, Feda, Barbosa (1978-1988)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Carol A. Doyle**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Iowa 1978 BBA; Loyola (Chicago) 1982 JD  
Began Service: July 26, 1999  
Term Expires: 2013

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John A. Nordberg, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1982-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Sidley & Austin (1985-1999)

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**Bruce W. Black**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Bradley 1966 BA; Illinois 1971 JD  
Began Service: August 13, 2001  
Term Expires: August 12, 2015

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert D. Morgan, United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois (1971-1972)

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1975-1976); State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1976-1985)

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Tenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois (1985-2001)

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**Pamela S. Hollis**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: June 14, 1954  
Education: Illinois 1976 BS; Loyola Marymount 1979 JD  
Began Service: January 27, 2003  
Term Expires: January 2017

**Corporate:** Principal, Digital Lawyer Ltd.

**Judicial:** Member, American Bar Association

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Hollis and Johnson; Partner, Hinshaw & Culbertson; Law Office of Pamela Hollis

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; The Florida Bar; National Association of Bankruptcy Trustees

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**A. Benjamin Goldgar**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: January 1957  
Education: Brown 1979 AB; Northwestern 1982 JD  
Began Service: February 3, 2003  
Term Expires: February 2, 2017

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Civil Appeals Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1995-2003); Supervising Attorney, Civil Appeals Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1997-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Keck, Mahin & Cate (1982-1995)

**Nonprofit:** President, Appellate Lawyers Association of Illinois (2001-2002)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; American Bar Association; Appellate Lawyers Association; The Chicago Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Jacqueline P. Cox**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Cornell 1971 BA; Boston U 1974 JD  
Began Service: February 3, 2003  
Term Expires: February 2, 2017

**Government:** Defense Attorney, Office of the Public Defender, County of Mercer, New Jersey (1976-1977); Defense Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1978-1984); Attorney, Law Department, City of Chicago, Illinois (1984-1988); Attorney, Law Department, Housing Authority, City of Chicago, Illinois (1988)

**Judicial:** Judge, Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois (1988-2003); Judge, 1st Municipal District, Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Association of Black Women Lawyers of Chicago, Inc.; The Chicago Bar Association; Chicago Council of Lawyers; Cook County Bar Association; Illinois Judges Association; Illinois Judicial Council; Illinois State Bar Association; Board of Directors, Just the Beginning Foundation; Lawyers Club of Chicago; National Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Women's Bar Association of Illinois

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**John D. Schwartz**

Bankruptcy Judge (recalled)

Education: Chicago 1950 JD

Began Service: November 2, 1984

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1952-1954); Master-In-Chancery, Circuit Court, County of Cook, Illinois (1963)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy; The Chicago Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Chicago; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**William V. Altenberger**  
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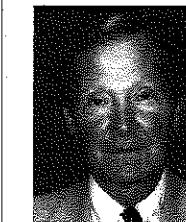
Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Illinois 1957 BS, 1963 LLB

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge (recalled), United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois; Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Indiana; Bankruptcy Judge (recall), United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (2000-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Kavanagh, Scully, Sudow, White & Frederick (1964-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1957-1960)

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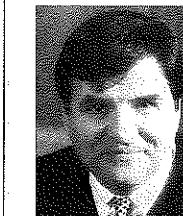
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**G. Patrick Murphy**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Southern Illinois 1975 BS, 1977 JD  
Began Service: May 5, 1998  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



**Legal Practice:** Associate, James W. Sanders & Associates (1978-1982); Associate, Garrison & Garrison (1982-1983); Partner, Winters, Brewster, Murphy, Crosby & Patchett (1983-1993); G. Patrick Murphy, Attorney at Law (1994-1998)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1966-1969)

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**J. Phil Gilbert**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Illinois 1971 BS; Loyola (Chicago) 1974 JD  
Began Service: October 1, 1992  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Government:** Special Assistant Attorney General, Public Aid Enforcement Division (1974-1975); Assistant City Attorney, City of Carbondale, Illinois (1975-1978); Member, Illinois State Board of Elections (1978-1987)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, First Judicial Circuit (1988-1992)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Gilbert & Gilbert (1974-1983); Partner, Gilbert, Kimmel, Huffman & Prosser (1983-1988)

**Current Memberships:** Illinois State Bar Association; Jackson County Bar Association

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**David R. Herndon**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: Southern IL Edwardsville 1974 BA; Southern Illinois 1977 JD  
Began Service: November 16, 1998

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County (1991-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk then Trial Attorney, L. Thomas Lakin, Attorney at Law (1976-1978); Trial Attorney, Haley, Frederickson, Walsh and Herndon, P.C. (1978-1980); Shareholder/Principal and Trial Attorney, Lakin and Herndon, P.C. (and predecessor firms) (1980-1991)

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**Michael J. Reagan**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
Education: Bradley 1976 BS; Saint Louis U 1980 JD  
Began Service: October 23, 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton.

**Academic:** Adjunct Assistant Professor of Law, St. Louis University (1982-1988)

**Government:** Assistant Public Defender, County of St. Clair, Illinois (1996-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Kassly, Bone, Becker, Dix, Reagan & Young (1980-1995); The Law Office of Michael J. Reagan (1995-2000)

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Began Service: September 2005

Term Expires: September 2007

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**James L. Foreman**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1927  
Education: Illinois 1950 BS, 1952 JD

Began Service: March 7, 1972

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1953-1960); State's Attorney, Massac County, State of Illinois (1960-1964)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Chase & Foreman (1952-1972)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1945-1946)

**Current Memberships:** Illinois State Bar Association

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**William D. Stiehl**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1925

Education: Saint Louis U 1949 LLB

Began Service: 1986

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Assistant States Attorney, St. Clair County, Illinois (1956-1960); Special Assistant Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1970-1973)

**Legal Practice:** William D. Stiehl Attorney at Law (1952-1978); Partner, Stiehl & Hess (1978-1981); Partner, Stiehl & Stiehl (1982-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1943-1946); United States Navy (1950-1952)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Judges Association; Illinois State Bar Association; St. Clair County Bar Association

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**Philip M. Frazier**

Magistrate Judge

Began Service: 1987

Term Expires: May 7, 2011

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Education: Saint Louis U 1972 JD

Began Service: February 28, 1994

Term Expires: February 27, 2010

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1976-1983); First Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1983-1993); United States Attorney, Southern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1993)

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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1944

Education: Eastern Illinois 1966 BS; Indiana 1969 JD

Began Service: 1986

Term Expires: 2014

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois (1975-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

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**Gerald D. Fines**

Bankruptcy Judge (visiting)

Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Eastern Illinois 1965 BS, 1967 MS; Kentucky 1970 JD  
Began Service: August 19, 1987  
Term Expires: August 18, 2015

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of Illinois

**Academic:** Instructor, Commercial Law, Eastern Illinois University (1966-1967)

**Government:** Deputy Director and Acting Director, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1970-1976); United States Attorney, Central District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1977-1986)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of Illinois (1987-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Giffin, Winning, Linder, Cohen & Bodewes

**Military Service:** United States Army (1958-1960)

**Current Memberships:** The District of Columbia Bar; Illinois State Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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**James K. Coachys**

Bankruptcy Judge (visiting)

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Butler 1969 BS; Indiana 1974 JD

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Indiana

**Judicial:** Juvenile Magistrate, Johnson Circuit Court (1987-1989); Judge, Johnson Superior Court No. 1 (1989-2000); Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Illinois (2000-2005)

**Legal Practice:** Jones, Loveall & Coachys (1974-1979); Coachys, Hass & Denslaw (1979-1987)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1969-1976)

**Current Memberships:** The Seventh Circuit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Indianapolis Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Bankruptcy Judge (visiting)

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**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin

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**Robert L. Miller, Jr.**

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Northwestern 1972 BA; Indiana 1975 JD  
Began Service: January 1986  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Affiliation:** Chief Judge, Chambers of Chief Judge Robert L. Miller, Jr., United States Courts of Limited Jurisdiction

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert A. Grant, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1975)

**Judicial:** Judge, St. Joseph Superior Court, St. Joseph County (1975-1986)

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**Allen Sharp**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1932  
Education: George Washington 1954 BA; Indiana 1957 JD; Butler 1986 MA  
Began Service: November 1, 1973  
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Judge, Indiana Court of Appeals (1969-1973)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1957-1968)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force Reserve (1957-1984)

**Current Memberships:** The Seventh Circuit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Indiana Judges Association; Indiana State Bar Association

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**Rudy Lozano**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Indiana 1963 BS, 1966 LLB  
Began Service: March 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Legal Practice:** Spangler, Jennings, Spangler & Dougherty (1966-1988)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1966-1973)

**Current Memberships:** American Association of Justice; American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Hispanic Bar Association of Northwest Indiana; Indiana State Bar Association; National Hispanic Bar Association

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**Philip P. Simon**

District Judge

Date of Birth: July 7, 1962  
Education: Iowa 1984 BA; Indiana 1987 JD  
Began Service: March 31, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Indiana Northern District, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, George H.W. Bush Administration (1990-1997); Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, William J. Clinton Administration (1997-1999); Assistant U.S. Attorney and Chief, Criminal Division, Northern District of Indiana, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, William J. Clinton Administration (1999-2003)  
**Legal Practice:** Associate, Kirkland & Ellis (1987-1990)

**Nonprofit:** Adjunct Professor of Law, School of Law, Valparaiso University (1996-1997); Adjunct Professor of Law, School of Law, Valparaiso University (1999-2000)

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**Theresa L. Springmann**

District Judge

Education: Indiana 1977 BA; Notre Dame 1980 JD  
Began Service: June 24, 2003

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James T. Moody, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1980-1984)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1995-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Partner and Member, Spangler, Jennings, & Dougherty (1984-1995)

**Current Memberships:** Allen County Bar Association; American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Indiana State Bar Association

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Began Service: August 2005  
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Began Service: June 12, 2003  
Education: Valparaiso 1998 JD

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**William C. Lee**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Yale 1959 AB; Chicago 1962 JD  
Began Service: August 19, 1981  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, State of Indiana (1963-1969); Chief Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, State of Indiana (1966-1969); United States Attorney, Northern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1970-1973)

**Judicial:** Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1962-1964); Partner, Parry, Krueckeberg & Lee (1964-1970); Partner, Hunt, Suedhoff, Borror, Eilbacher & Lee (1973-1981)

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**James T. Moody**  
Senior Judge

Education: Indiana 1960 AB, 1963 LLB  
Began Service: February 24, 1982  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Faculty, Business Law, Indiana University (1977-1980)  
**Government:** City Attorney, City of Lake Station & City of Hobart (Indiana) (1964-1973)

**Judicial:** Judge, Indiana Superior Court, Lake County (1973-1979); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1979-1982)

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Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Valparaiso 1970 BA, 1973 JD  
Began Service: May 3, 1982  
Term Expires: May 3, 2014  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Chief Deputy Prosecutor, State of Indiana (1979-1982)

**Judicial:** Referee, Hammond City Court

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Hand, Muenich & Rodovich (1973-1978)

**Current Memberships:** Indiana State Bar Association; Lake County Bar Association (IN)

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Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Western Michigan 1972 BA; Toledo 1975 JD  
Began Service: January 3, 1990  
Term Expires: January 2, 2014

**Judicial:** Judge, Indiana Superior Court, Noble County (1982-1990)

**Legal Practice:** Heckner & Associates (1975-1981)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1972-1992)

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Date of Birth: 1951  
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Began Service: January 10, 2000  
Term Expires: January 10, 2008



**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Allen Sharp, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1976-1978)

**Government:** Trial Attorney, Land and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice (1983-1985); Trial Attorney, Criminal Division, Fraud Section, United States Department of Justice (1985-1989); Assistant Director, Attorney General's Advocacy Institute, United States Department of Justice (1987-1988); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of California, United States Department of Justice (1989-1998); Assistant Commissioner and Chief Counsel, Health Plan Enforcement Division, California Department of Corporations (1998-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Yoder, Ainlay, Ulmer and Buckingham (1978-1981)

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**Paul R. Cherry**  
Magistrate Judge

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Began Service: October 1, 2003

**Academic:** Adjunct Instructor, Huntington College (1980-2003); Adjunct Professor, Valparaiso University School of Law (2004-2006)

**Government:** Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, County of DeKalb, Indiana (1980-1982); Prosecuting Attorney, County of DeKalb, Indiana (1983-1988)

**Judicial:** Circuit Court Judge, County of DeKalb, Indiana (1989-2003)

**Nonprofit:** Member, Huntington University, Board of Trustees (1984-2006); Chairman, Board of Trustees, Huntington University (1998-2004)

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**Harry C. Dees, Jr.**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

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Education: DePauw 1967 BA; Indiana 1974 JD  
Began Service: October 1, 1986  
Term Expires: October 1, 2014

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Indiana State University (1983-1985)

**Government:** Deputy Public Defender, State of Indiana (1976-1978); Deputy Prosecutor, State of Indiana (1983-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Vigo County Juvenile Court (1978-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Hertwig & Decker (1974-1975); Tabor & Dees (1978-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1967-1971); Indiana Air National Guard (1976-1992)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; Indiana State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; National Guard Association of the United States; St. Joseph County Bar Association; Terre Haute Bar Association

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Bankruptcy Judge  
Date of Birth: 1954  
Education: Wabash Col 1977 BA; Dickinson 1980 JD  
Began Service: August 17, 1987

**Legal Practice:** Baker & Daniels (1980-1987)

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Bankruptcy Judge  
Began Service: June 16, 2003

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Bankruptcy Judge (recall)  
Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Valparaiso 1963 JD  
Began Service: May 1985

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1986-2003)

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### Larry J. McKinney

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: MacMurray 1966 BA; Indiana 1969 JD  
Began Service: 1987  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Indiana (1970-1971)

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Johnson County Court (1979-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Rogers & McKinney (1971-1975); Partner, Sargent & McKinney (1975-1979)

**Current Memberships:** Johnson County Bar Association

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### Sarah Evans Barker

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Indiana 1965 BS; American U 1969 JD  
Began Service: March 30, 1984  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, Indiana University-Bloomington, IN (1986-1989)

**Government:** Legislative Assistant, U.S. Representative Gilbert Gude (R-MD), United States House of Representatives (1969); Legislative Assistant, U.S. Senator Charles H. Percy (R-RI), United States Senate (1969-1971); Special Counsel, Government Operations Committee, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, United States Senate (1971-1972); Director of Research and Director of Scheduling & Advance, Senator Charles H. Percy Re-Election Campaign (1972); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1972-1976); First Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1976-1977); United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1981-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Bose, McKinney & Evans (1977-1981)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Judges Association; Federal Judges Association; Indiana State Bar Association; Indianapolis Bar Association

## Chambers of District Judge Sarah Evans Barker *continued*

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### John Daniel Tinder

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Indiana 1972 BS, 1975 JD  
Began Service: September 10, 1987  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Indiana University (1980-1988)

**Government:** Bail Commissioner, Municipal Court, Marion County, Indiana (1975); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1975-1977); Public Defender, Criminal Court, Marion County, Indiana (1977-1978); Chief Trial Deputy, Office of the Prosecutor, Marion County, Indiana (1979-1982); United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1984-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Tinder & Tinder (1977-1982); Harrison & Moberly (1982-1984)

**Nonprofit:** Board Member, Bloomington Board of Parks and Recreation (1972-1973)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; Indianapolis Bar Association

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**David F. Hamilton**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957  
Education: Haverford 1979 BA; Yale 1983 JD  
Began Service: October 28, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Richard D. Cudahy, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1983-1984)

## Chambers of District Judge David F. Hamilton *continued*

**Government:** Counsel, Governor Evan Bayh (D-IA), State of Indiana (1989-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Barnes & Thornburg (1984-1988); Partner, Barnes & Thornburg (1991-1994)

**Current Memberships:** The Sagamore American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court

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**Richard L. Young**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: Drake 1975 BA; George Mason 1980 JD  
Began Service: March 25, 1998  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** County Coordinator, Senator Birch Bayh for President (1975-1976); Legislative Assistant, U.S. Representative Philip H. Hayes (D-IN), United States House of Representative (1976); Corporation Counsel, City of Evansville, Indiana (1985-1987); Public Defender, Vanderburgh Circuit Court, County of Vanderburgh, Indiana (1983-1985)

**Judicial:** Judge, Indiana Circuit Court, Vanderburgh County (1990-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Hayes and Young, Attorneys at Law (1980-1990)

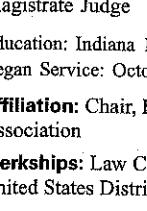
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**Tim A. Baker**  
Magistrate Judge

Education: Indiana 1984 BA; Valparaiso 1989 JD  
Began Service: October 1, 2001

**Affiliation:** Chair, Federal Judiciary Committee; Member, Indiana State Bar Association

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Chief Judge The Honorable Larry J. McKinney, United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana (1989-1991)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana (1995-2001)

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**Chambers of Magistrate Judge Tim A. Baker** *continued*

**Judicial:** Chair, Labor & Employment Law Section, Indianapolis Bar Association (2000); Distinguished Fellow, Indianapolis Bar Foundation (2002); Co-chair, Student Law Division, Indianapolis Bar Association (2002-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Barnes & Thornburg (1991-1995)

**Current Memberships:** Indianapolis Bar Association

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**William T. Lawrence**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Indiana 1970 BS; IU-Purdue U Indianapolis 1973 JD  
Began Service: November 13, 2002  
Term Expires: December 2010

**Government:** Public Defender (part-time), Criminal Court IV, County of Marion, Indiana (1974-1983); Executive Director, Merit Selection Commission on Federal Judicial Appointments (1980-1988); Master Commissioner (part-time), Circuit Court, County of Marion, Indiana (1983-1996)

**Judicial:** Judge, Marion County Circuit Court (1996-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Poore, Popcheff, Wurster, Dugan, Sullivan & Burke (1973-1978); Lawrence, Carter, Gresk, Leerkamp & Walsh (1979-1988); Johnson, Smith, Pence, Densborn, Wright & Health (1989-1996)

**Current Memberships:** American Association for Justice; American Bar Association; The Sagamore American Inn of Court; The American Inns of Court; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Indiana Judges Association; Indiana State Bar Association; Indiana Bar Foundation, Indiana State Bar Association

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**William G. Hussmann, Jr.**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Valparaiso 1972 BA, 1975 JD  
Began Service: April 4, 1988  
Term Expires: April 4, 2012

**Academic:** Associated Insurance Co. (1986-1988)

**Government:** Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Indiana (1981-1983); Staff Attorney, Disciplinary Committee, Indiana Supreme Court (1983-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Rice, Myles & Hussmann (1976-1981)

**Current Memberships:** Evansville Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Seventh Circuit Bar Association

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**Jane E. Magnus-Stinson**  
Magistrate Judge

Education: Butler 1979; IU-Purdue U Indianapolis 1983 JD  
Began Service: 2007  
Term Expires: 2015

**Government:** County Judge, Marion Superior Court (1995-2007)

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**Kennard P. Foster**  
Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Ball State 1966 BS; Indiana 1970 JD  
Began Service: May 16, 1986  
Term Expires: October 2007

**Government:** Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice (1970-1971); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1976-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Jones, Foster & Loveall (1971-1976)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Association

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**Michael G. Naville**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: April 5, 1951  
Education: Indiana 1973 BA; Louisville 1976 JD  
Began Service: November 1995  
Term Expires: November 2007

**Affiliation:** Partner, Lorch and Naville

**Legal Practice:** Lorch & Naville (1987-2006)

**Current Memberships:** American Academy of Adoption Attorney; The Sherman Minton American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Floyd County Bar; Indiana State Bar Association

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**Jordan D. Lewis**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1932  
Education: Indiana 1959 JD  
Began Service: May 1979  
Term Expires: November 2007

**Legal Practice:** Lewis & Lewis (1959-1997)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1952-1955)

**Current Memberships:** The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Indiana State Bar Association

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**Basil H. Lorch III**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Indiana 1971 BA, 1974 JD  
Began Service: April 14, 1992  
Term Expires: April 13, 2020

**Academic:** Instructor, Indiana University School of Law

**Government:** Public Defender, Criminal Court, Floyd County, Indiana

**Legal Practice:** Managing Partner, Lorch & Naville

**Current Memberships:** American College of Bankruptcy; Floyd County Bar; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Law Clerk **Kathryn S. Willis** ..... (812) 542-4570  
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**Frank J. Otte**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Indiana 1960 BS, 1966 JD  
Began Service: October 1, 1986  
Term Expires: September 30, 2014  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Indiana

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1966-1986); Counsel, Indianapolis Airport Authority (1974-1986)

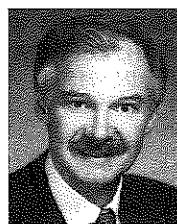
**Military Service:** United States Army (1960-1963)

**Current Memberships:** Indiana State Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Anthony J. Metz III**  
 Bankruptcy Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Indiana 1969 BS, 1972 JD  
 Began Service: November 14, 1997  
 Term Expires: November 13, 2011

**Government:** Deputy Attorney General, State of Indiana (1972-1976); Commissioner, Marion County Circuit Court (1979-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Marion County Superior Court (1985-1997)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1976-1984)

**Current Memberships:** Indianapolis Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**James K. Coachys**  
 Bankruptcy Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Butler 1969 BS; Indiana 1974 JD  
 Began Service: October 1, 2000  
 Term Expires: September 30, 2014

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge (visiting) James K. Coachys, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Illinois

**Judicial:** Juvenile Magistrate, Johnson Circuit Court (1987-1989); Judge, Johnson Superior Court No. 1 (1989-2000); Bankruptcy Judge (visiting), United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Illinois (2000-2005)

**Legal Practice:** Jones, Loveall & Coachys (1974-1979); Coachys, Hass & Denslaw (1979-1987)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1969-1976)  
**Current Memberships:** The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; Indianapolis Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Linda R. Reade**  
 Chief District Judge

Date of Birth: February 1, 1948  
 Education: Drake 1970 BA; Iowa State 1973 MS; Drake 1980 JD  
 Began Service: November 26, 2002  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Iowa, United States Attorney's Executive Office, United States Department of Justice (1986-1993)

**Judicial:** Judge, Iowa District Court for Polk County (1993-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk, Brown, Winick, Graves, Donnelly & Baskerville (1980); Associate, Brown, Winick, Graves, Donnelly & Baskerville (1980-1981); Associate, Rosenberg and Margulies (1981-1984); Partner, Rosenberg, Rosenberg and Reade (1984-1986)

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**Mark W. Bennett**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: Gustavus Adolphus 1972 BA; Drake 1975 JD  
 Began Service: August 26, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Visiting Professor, Criminal Justice Program, South Dakota (1975-1976); Assistant Professor, Western Illinois (1976-1977); Adjunct Professor, Drake Law School (1981-1993); Lecturer, Iowa College of Law (1984-1985)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1991-1994); District Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Iowa (1995-2000); Chief District Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Iowa

**Legal Practice:** General Counsel, Iowa Civil Liberties Union (1975-1989); Partner, Babich, Bennett & Nickerson (1975-1991)

**Current Memberships:** Iowa State Bar Association; Woodbury County Bar Association

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**Edward J. McManus**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1920  
 Education: Iowa 1940 BA, 1942 JD  
 Began Service: 1962  
 Appointed By: President John F. Kennedy  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** President, Coca-Cola Bottling Company (1955); President, 1001 Corporation (1960-1962)

**Government:** City Attorney, City of Keokuk, Indiana (1946-1955); State Senator Edward McManus, Iowa State Senate (1955-1959); Lieutenant Governor Edward McManus, State of Iowa (1959-1962)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, McManus & McManus (1946-1962)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1942-1946)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association

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**Donald E. O'Brien**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923  
 Education: Creighton 1948 LLB  
 Began Service: November 2, 1978  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** City Prosecutor, Sioux City, Iowa (1949-1954); United States Attorney, Northern District of Iowa, United States Department of Justice (1961-1967); Counsel, Committee on Small Business, State of Iowa (1977-1978)

**Judicial:** Judge, Sioux City Municipal Court (1959-1960)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, O'Brien, Galvin & O'Brien (1948-1961); Partner, O'Brien, Galvin & O'Brien (1967-1977)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1942-1945)

**Current Memberships:** Iowa State Bar Association; Woodbury County Bar Association

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**Paul A. Zoss**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Indiana 1969 BA; Texas 1972 JD  
 Began Service: January 27, 1997  
 Term Expires: January 2013

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 Chief Bankruptcy Judge

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 Education: Missouri 1966 BA, 1969 MA; Iowa 1978 JD  
 Began Service: August 1987  
 Next Election: 2015

Election Type: General Election  
 Term Expires: August 8, 2015

**Judicial:** Chief Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Iowa (1992-1999)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Carter, Sar, Edmonds & Green (1978-1987)

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**Robert W. Pratt**  
 Chief Judge

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 Education: Loras 1969 BA; Creighton 1972 JD  
 Began Service: July 1, 1997  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Legal Practice:** Staff Attorney, Polk County Legal Aid Society (1973-1974); Associate, Funaro, Brick & Pratt (1975-1978); Partner, Hedberg, Brick, Tann, Pratt & Ward (1978-1985); Private Practice (1985-1997)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Iowa Academy of Trial Lawyers; Iowa Association of Workers Compensation Attorneys; Iowa State Bar Association; National Organization of Social Security Claimants' Representatives; Polk County Bar Association

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**James E. Gritzner**  
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Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Dakota Wesleyan 1969 BA; Northern Iowa 1974 MA;  
 Drake 1979 JD  
 Began Service: February 19, 2002  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Assistant The Honorable Ronald Longstaff, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1977-1979)

**Government:** Member, Iowa Board of Parole (1980-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Mosier, Thomas, Beatty, Dutton, Braun & Staack (1979-1981); Partner, Humphrey, Haas & Gritzner (1981-1982); Partner, Nyemaster, Goode, Voights, West, Hansell & O'Brien, P.C. (1982-2002)

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 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956  
 Education: Akron 1978 BS; Drake 1981 JD  
 Began Service: March 2007  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Current Memberships:** Iowa State Bar Association

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**Harold D. Vietor**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931  
 Education: Iowa 1955 BA, 1958 JD  
 Began Service: 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Martin Van Oosterhout, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit (1958-1959)

**Judicial:** Judge, Iowa District Court (1965-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Bleakley Law Offices (1959-1965)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1952-1954)

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 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
 Education: Harvard 1959 AB; Iowa 1961 JD  
 Began Service: August 1987

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Judicial:** Judge, Iowa District Court (1981-1983); Justice, Iowa Supreme Court (1983-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Shull, Marshall & Marks (1961-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1961-1967)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers

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**Ronald E. Longstaff**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
 Education: Pittsburg State 1962 BA; Iowa 1965 JD  
 Began Service: November 5, 1991

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Drake Law School (1973-1976)

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**Judicial:** Clerk of Court and Magistrate Judge (part-time), United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1968-1976); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1976-1991); District Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1991-2006); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (2006)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, McWilliams, Gross and Kirtley (1967-1968)

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**Thomas J. Shields**

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: William & Mary 1969 BA; Indiana 1972 JD

Began Service: 1997

Term Expires: 2008

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**Legal Practice:** Lane & Waterman (1974-2000)

**Current Memberships:** American Association of Justice; American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Lawyers; American College of Trial Lawyers; Defense Research Institute; Indiana State Bar Association; Iowa Academy of Trial Lawyers; Iowa Defense Counsel Association; Iowa State Bar Association

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**Ross A. Walters**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949

Education: Penn State 1971 BA; Iowa 1977 JD

Began Service: 1994

Term Expires: 2010

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William C. Hanson, United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1977-1979)

**Judicial:** Judge, Iowa District Court, 5-C Judicial District (1990-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Herrick, Langdon & Langdon (1979-1982); Partner, Herrick, Langdon & Langdon (1982-1990)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1971-1974)

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**Celeste F. Bremer**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953

Education: St Ambrose 1974 BA; Iowa 1977 JD; Drake 2002 EdD

Began Service: January 1, 1990

Term Expires: January 1, 2014

**Academic:** Instructor, Drake University College of Law (1985-1990); Instructor, Drake University (2003-2005)

**Government:** Assistant County Attorney, Scott County, Iowa (1977-1979); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Iowa (1979)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge (part-time), United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa (1985-1990)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Carlin, Liebbe, Pitton and Bremer (1979-1981); Partner, Rabin, Liebbe, Shinkle and Bremer (1981-1982); Counsel, Legal Department, Deere and Company (1982-1984); Counsel, Economy Forms Corporation (1985-1989)

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**Lee M. Jackwig**

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950

Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1972 BA; DePaul 1975 JD

Began Service: November 3, 1986

Term Expires: November 2, 2014

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Iowa (1976-1979); Deputy Industrial Commissioner, State of Iowa (1979-1983); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Iowa, United States Department of Justice (1983-1986)

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Chief Judge

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**Legal Practice:** Associate, Latham & Watkins (1970-1971); Partner, Stevens, Brand, Lungstrum, Golden & Winter (1972-1991)

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Date of Birth: 1943  
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Began Service: 1991  
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**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1973-1976); Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1976-1978)

**Legal Practice:** Weeks, Thomas & Lysaught (1976-1983); Partner, FLP II (1979-1989); Hall, Levy, Lively, DeVore, Belot & Bell (1983-1991)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1968-1971); United States Naval Reserve (1971-1986)

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Began Service: October 30, 1992  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Earl E. O'Connor, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1978)

**Judicial:** Municipal Judge, City of Prairie Village (1990-1992)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Lathrop & Norquist (1978-1992)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Association for Women Lawyers of Kansas City; Federal Judges Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Foundation, Johnson County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation, Kansas Bar Association; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Lawyers Association of Kansas City; National Association of Women Judges; Wyandotte County Bar Association

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**J. Thomas Marten**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: Washburn 1973 BA, 1976 JD  
Began Service: January 5, 1996  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Tom Clark, Supreme Court of the United States (1976-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Kutak Rock Cohen Campbell Garfinkle & Woodward (1977-1980); Kutak Rock & Huie (1980-1981); Associate, Bremyer & Wise P.A. (1981-1982); Shareholder, Bremyer & Wise P.A. (1982-1996)

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**Carlos Murguia**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957  
Education: Kansas 1979 BS, 1982 JD  
Began Service: September 8, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Judicial:** Small Claims Court Judge/Judge Pro Tem (part-time), Wyandotte County District Court (1984-1990); District Court Judge, Wyandotte County District Court

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Zeigler Legal Services, Chartered (1982-1985)

**Nonprofit:** Coordinator of Immigration Amnesty Program, El Centro, Inc. (1985-1990)

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**Julie A. Robinson**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957  
Education: Kansas 1978 BS, 1981 JD  
Began Service: December 14, 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty Member, University of Kansas Law School (1989-1990)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Benjamin E. Franklin, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Kansas (1981-1983)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1992); Senior Litigation Counsel, United States Attorney's Office, District of Kansas (1992-1994)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Kansas (1994-2001); Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Tenth Circuit (1996-2001)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk, Schneider, Shamborg & May (1981)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; Kansas Bar Association

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**Wesley E. Brown**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1907  
Education: Missouri (Kansas City) 1933 LLB  
Began Service: April 4, 1962  
Appointed By: President John F. Kennedy

**Government:** County Attorney, County of Reno, Nevada (1935-1939)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Referee, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Kansas (1958-1962); Judge, Temporary Emergency Court of Appeals of the United States (1980-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Williams, Martindell & Carey (1935-1939); Senior Partner, Martindell, Carey, Brown & Brabets (1939-1958); Secretary and Attorney, Aircraft Woodwork Manufacturing (1942-1944)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1944-1946)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Kansas Bar Association; Reno County Bar Association; Southwest Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

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**Richard D. Rogers**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1921  
Education: Kansas State 1943 BS; Kansas 1947 JD  
Began Service: 1975  
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Instructor, Business Law, Kansas State University (1948)

**Government:** City Commissioner Richard D. Rogers, City of Manhattan, KS (1950-1952); Mayor, City of Manhattan, KS (1952); County Attorney, Riley County, Kansas (1954-1958); General Counsel, Kansas Farm Bureau Federation (1960-1975); City Commissioner, City of Manhattan, KS (1960-1964); Republican State Chairman, Kansas State House of Representatives (1962-1964); Mayor, City of Manhattan, KS (1964); State Representative Richard D. Rogers (KS), Kansas House of Representatives (1964-1968); State Senator Richard D. Rogers (KS), Kansas State Senate (1968-1975)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Springer & Rogers (1947-1958); Partner, Rogers, Stites and Hill (1959-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1943-1945)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Shawnee County Bar Association

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**Sam A. Crow**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1926  
Education: Kansas 1949 BA; Washburn 1952 JD  
Began Service: December 10, 1981  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Lecturer, Washburn University School of Law

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1981)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk, Rooney, Dickinson & Prager (1952-1953); Partner, Rooney, Dickinson, Prager & Crow (1953-1963); Partner, Dickinson, Crow, Skoog & Honeyman (1963-1970); Senior Partner, Crow & Skoog (1971-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Army; United States Army Reserve (1952-1995)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Sam A. Crow American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Kansas Bar Association; National Association of United States Magistrates; Topeka Bar Association; Topeka Lawyers Club; Wichita Bar Association

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**Karen M. Humphreys**  
Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Kansas 1970 BA, 1973 JD  
Began Service: 1993  
Term Expires: October 31, 2009  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, Washburn University School of Law; Adjunct Professor of Law, Wichita State University

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1978-1986)

**Judicial:** Judge, Kansas District Court, Sedgwick County (1987-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Redmond & Nazar (1986-1987)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Wichita Bar Association

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**John T. Reid**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Wichita State 1955 BA; Washburn 1958 JD  
Began Service: 1984

**Government:** County Attorney, Harvey County, Kansas (1971-1975); Member, Newton City Commission (1977-1980); Mayor, City of Newton, Kansas (1978-1979); County Counselor, Harvey County, Kansas (1984-1987); City Attorney, City of Sedgwick, Kansas (1985-1987)

**Judicial:** City Judge (1959-1961); Probate Judge, Harvey County (1961-1967); Associate District Judge, Kansas District Court, Ninth Judicial District (1980-1984)

**Legal Practice:**

**Military Service:** United States Army (1951-1953)

**Current Memberships:** Harvey County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association

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**Donald W. Bostwick**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Kansas 1965 BS, 1968 JD  
Began Service: July 22, 1999  
Term Expires: July 21, 2007

**Legal Practice:** Adams, Jones, Robinson & Malone (1968-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation, Kansas Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Gerald L. Rushfelt**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Kansas 1953 BA, 1958 LLB, 1958 JD  
Began Service: September 9, 1985  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Instructor, University of Kansas (1980-1992)

**Government:** Member, Office of the City Council, City of Roeland Park, Kansas (1964-1969)

**Judicial:** Judge Pro Tem, Leawood Municipal Court (1978-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Sullivant & Smith (1958-1969); Partner, Rushfelt, Mueller, Lamar & Druten (and prior firms) (1969-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1953-1955)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Advocates; American College of Trial Lawyers; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; International Society of Barristers; Johnson County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association

**Staff**

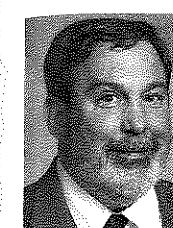
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**David J. Waxse**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Kansas 1967 BA; Columbia 1971 JD  
Began Service: October 4, 1999  
Term Expires: October 3, 2007  
Political Affiliation: Democrat



**Academic:** Dean of Students, Intermediate School 88, New York City Board of Education (1968-1970); Special Education Teacher, New York City Board of Education (1970-1971); Lecturer, University of Kansas (1981-1982)

**Government:** City Attorney (part-time) (1972-1979)

**Judicial:** Municipal Judge (part-time) (1974-1980)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Payne & Jones, Chtd. (1971-1984); Counsel, Shook, Hardy & Bacon L.L.P. (1984-1986); Partner, Shook, Hardy & Bacon L.L.P. (1986-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Board of Governors, Kansas Bar Association; Board of Trustees, Kansas Bar Association; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Midwest Bioethics Center

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**James P. O'Hara**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
Education: Nebraska 1977 BA;  
Creighton 1980 JD  
Began Service: April 17, 2000  
Term Expires: April 16, 2008



**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert V. Denney, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1980-1981); Law Clerk The Honorable C. Arlen Beam, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1982)

**Legal Practice:** Shughart, Thomson & Kilroy, PC (1982-2000)

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**K. Gary Sebelius**  
Magistrate Judge

Education: Georgetown 1974 JD  
Began Service: February 20, 2003  
Term Expires: February 20, 2011

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**Robert E. Nugent**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
Education: Kansas 1980 JD  
Began Service: June 14, 2000  
Term Expires: June 13, 2014

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Tenth Circuit

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**Janice Miller Karlin**  
Bankruptcy Judge  
Education: Kansas 1975 BA, 1980 JD  
Began Service: October 17, 2002  
Term Expires: October 16, 2016

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Kansas District, United States Department of Justice (1980-2002)

**Staff**  
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**Dale L. Somers**  
Bankruptcy Judge

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**Robert D. Berger**  
Bankruptcy Judge

## United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky

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**Number of Judgeships:** 6

**Areas Covered:** Counties of Anderson, Bath, Bell, Boone, Bourbon, Boyd, Boyle, Bracken, Breathitt, Campbell, Carroll, Carter, Clark, Clay, Elliott, Estill, Fayette, Fleming, Floyd, Franklin, Gallatin, Garrard, Grant, Greenup, Harlan, Harrison, Henry, Jackson, Jessamine, Johnson, Kenton, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Lewis, Lincoln, Madison, Magoffin, Martin, Mason, McCreary, Menifee, Mercer, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Owen, Owsley, Pendleton, Perry, Pike, Powell, Pulaski, Robertson, Rockcastle, Rowan, Scott, Shelby, Trimble, Wayne, Whitley, Wolfe and Woodford

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### Joseph M. Hood

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Kentucky 1965 BS, 1972 JD  
Began Service: May 1, 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Academic:** Graduate Assistant in Economics, University of Kentucky (1965-1966)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable David Hermansdorfer, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (1972-1976)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (1976-1990)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1966-1970)

**Current Memberships:** Fayette County Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Sixth Circuit District Judges Association

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Education: Tennessee 2001 BS, 2005 JD  
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**Jennifer B. Coffman**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Kentucky 1969 BA, 1971 MSLS, 1978 JD  
Began Service: October 22, 1993  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Affiliation:** District Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Kentucky

**Legal Practice:** Law Offices of Arthur L. Brooks (1977-1982); Brooks, Coffman & Fitzpatrick (1982-1992); Newberry, Hargrove & Rambicure (1992-1993)

**Current Memberships:** Fayette County Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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### Danny C. Reeves

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957  
Education: Eastern Kentucky 1978 BA; Salmon P Chase 1981 JD  
Began Service: December 31, 2001

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Eugene E. Siler, Jr., United States District Court for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky (1981-1983)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Greenebaum, Doll & McDonald, PLLC (1983-1988); Partner, Greenebaum, Doll & McDonald, PLLC (1988-2001)

**Current Memberships:** Fayette County Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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**Karen K. Caldwell**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956  
Education: Transylvania 1977 BA; Kentucky 1980 JD  
Began Service: November 13, 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Eastern Kentucky University (1984-1985); Adjunct Professor, Eastern Kentucky University (1987); Adjunct Professor, Transylvania University (2000)

**Corporate:** Jerrico, Inc. (1979-1980); Field Claims Representative, State Farm Fire and Casualty (1980-1987)

**Government:** Labor Cabinet, Commonwealth of Kentucky (1978-1979); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1987-1990); United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1991-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Counsel, Robinson & McElwee (1993-1995); Partner, Breeding, Cunningham, Dance & Cress, LLP (1995-1998); Partner, Dinsmore & Stohl, LLP (1998-2001)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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District Judge

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Began Service: February 21, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Law Clerk, Eastern District of Kentucky, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1991); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1991-2002)

**Current Memberships:** Kentucky Bar Association

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Appointed By: President George W. Bush

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**Government:** Chief of Staff and Legal Counsel, U.S. Representative Ron Lewis (KY, District 2), United States House of Representatives; U.S. Attorney, Kentucky - Eastern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice

**Staff**

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Term Expires: August 2007

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**G. Wix Unthank**  
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Date of Birth: 1923  
Education: Miami 1950 JD  
Began Service: 1980  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1966-1969); Commonwealth Attorney, 26th District, Commonwealth of Kentucky (1970-1980)

**Judicial:** Judge, Kentucky District Court, 26th Judicial District (1950-1957)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1957-1966)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1940-1945)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Judicial Conference of the United States; Kentucky Bar Association; Northern Kentucky Bar Association

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**Henry Rupert Wilhoit, Jr.**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Kentucky 1960 LLB  
Began Service: 1981  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** City Attorney, City of Grayson, Kentucky (1962-1966); County Attorney, County of Carter, Kentucky (1966-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Wilhoit & Wilhoit (1960-1981)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Trial Lawyers; Federal Judges Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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**William O. Bertelsman**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936  
Education: Xavier (OH) 1958 BA; Cincinnati 1961 JD  
Began Service: November 29, 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Faculty, University of Cincinnati College of Law (1965-1972); Faculty, Federal Judicial Center (1981-1982); Faculty, ALI-ABA

**Government:** City Attorney and Prosecutor, City of Covington, Kentucky (1962-1969)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Bertelsman & Bertelsman (1962-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1963-1964); Ohio and Kentucky National Guard (1958-1963)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Judicial Conference of the United States; Kentucky Bar Association; Northern Kentucky Bar Association

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**Karl S. Forester**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Kentucky 1962 BA, 1966 JD  
Began Service: July 27, 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Legal Practice:** Eugene Goss, Esq (1966-1968); Partner, Goss & Forester (1968-1975); Partner, Forester, Forester, Buttermore & Turner (1976-1988)

**Current Memberships:** American Association for Justice; American Judicature Society; Harlan County Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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**J. Gregory Wehrman**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Cincinnati 1966 BA; Kentucky 1969 JD  
Began Service: January 1992  
Term Expires: 2008  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge (part-time), United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky (1975-1992)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1969-1992)

**Current Memberships:** Kentucky Bar Association; Northern Kentucky Bar Association

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**James B. Todd**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
Education: Kentucky 1963 BS, 1966 JD  
Began Service: April 1, 1994

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1966-1994)

**Staff**

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**Robert E. Wier**

Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 2006  
Term Expires: August 2014

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**Edward B. Atkins**

Magistrate Judge

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Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Notre Dame 1968 BA; Kentucky 1971 JD  
Began Service: 1999  
Term Expires: 2013

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Sixth Circuit

**Legal Practice:** Stoll, Keenon & Park

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute

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**William S. Howard**

Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Kentucky 1966 BS, 1969 JD  
Began Service: March 19, 1990

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Sixth Circuit (1990-2005)

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**Joe Lee**  
Bankruptcy Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1925  
Education: Kentucky 1952 BA, 1955  
Began Service: September 1, 1961

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, University of Kentucky, College of Law (1972-1992)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James B. Milliken, Kentucky Court of Appeals; Law Clerk The Honorable Hiram Church Ford, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky

**Corporate:** Editor-in-Chief, The American Bankruptcy Law Journal (1982-1990); Author, Bankruptcy Practice Manual (1995); Consultant, Bankruptcy Service, Lawyer's Edition

**Government:** Counsel, Subcommittee on Children's Mental Health, United States Congress

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1943-1949)

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Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Harvard 1970 AB; Kentucky 1976 JD  
Began Service: 1992  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush.

**Government:** Special Counsel, Office of the County Executive, Jefferson County, Kentucky (1977-1983)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Brown, Todd & Heyburn (1976-1992)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1970-1976)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar Association; Louisville Bar Foundation, Louisville Bar Association

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**Charles R. Simpson III**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Louisville 1967 BA, 1970 JD  
Began Service: October 15, 1986  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Affiliation:** Member, Chambers of Member Charles R. Simpson III, Judicial Conference of the United States

**Government:** Staff Counsel, Jefferson County, Kentucky (1978-1984); Alcoholic Beverage Control Administrator, Jefferson County, Kentucky (1983-1984); City Clerk, City of Rolling Fields, Kentucky (1985-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Rubin, Trautwein & Hays (1971-1975); Partner, Levin, Yussman & Simpson (1975-1977); Sole Practitioner (1977-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Judges Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Circuit Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar Association; The University of Louisville Law School Alumni Association

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**Jennifer B. Coffman**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Kentucky 1969 BA, 1971 MSLS, 1978 JD  
Began Service: October 22, 1993  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



**Affiliation:** District Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky

**Legal Practice:** Law Offices of Arthur L. Brooks (1977-1982); Brooks, Coffman & Fitzpatrick (1982-1992); Newberry, Hargrove & Rambicure (1992-1993)

**Current Memberships:** Fayette County Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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**Thomas B. Russell**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Western Kentucky 1967 BA; Kentucky 1970 JD  
Began Service: October 11, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Waller, Threlkeld & Whitlow (1970-1975); Partner, Whitlow, Roberts, Houston & Russell (1975-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Trial Lawyers; Kentucky Bar Association; McCracken County Bar Association

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**Joseph H. McKinley, Jr.**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
Education: Kentucky BS; Louisville JD  
Began Service: August 25, 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant County Attorney, Office of the County Attorney, Daviess County, Kentucky; Commissioner, Kentucky Oil and Gas Commission, Commonwealth of Kentucky

**Judicial:** Judge, Kentucky Circuit Court, Daviess County (1992-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Meyer, Hutchinson, McKinley & Haines

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**Edward H. Johnstone**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922  
Education: Kentucky 1949 JD  
Began Service: October 13, 1977  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Judicial:** Judge, Kentucky Circuit Court, 56th Circuit (1976-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Johnstone, Eldred & Paxton (1949-1976)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1942-1945)

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Magistrate Judge

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Began Service: March 1, 1978  
Term Expires: November 1, 2011  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice

**Military Service:** United States Army (1968-1970)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association; McCracken County Bar Association

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Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
 Education: Yale 1971 BA; Virginia 1974 JD  
 Began Service: April 29, 1996  
 Term Expires: April 2012

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Hogan & Hartson (1974-1976); Associate and Partner, Stites & Harbison (1976-1996)

**Current Memberships:** Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar Association

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Magistrate Judge  
  
 Date of Birth: 1942  
 Education: Murray State U 1965 BS;  
 Kentucky 1970 JD  
 Began Service: May 11, 1998  
 Term Expires: May 11, 2014  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Judicial:** Judge, Commonwealth Court of Kentucky, Sixth Judicial District (1984-1998)  
**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1970-1984)

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**Dave Whalin**  
Magistrate Judge

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Chief Bankruptcy Judge

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 Began Service: December 22, 1999  
 Term Expires: December 22, 2013

**Legal Practice:** Lloyd & McDaniel (1985-1988); Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs (1988-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; The District of Columbia Bar; Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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 Began Service: June 30, 1989

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**Legal Practice:** Dougherty & Haunz; Partner, Morgan & Pottinger (1974-1985); Partner, Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs (1985-1989)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1968)

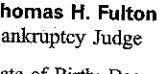
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**Thomas H. Fulton**  
Bankruptcy Judge

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 Began Service: December 6, 2002  
 Term Expires: December 2016

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**Ginger Berrigan**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Wisconsin 1969 BA;  
 American U 1971 MA; LSU 1977 JD  
 Began Service: March 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** Law Clerk, Department of Corrections, State of Louisiana; Volunteer & Staff Researcher, U.S. Senator Harold E. Hughes, United States Senate (1971-1972); Volunteer & Legislative Aide, U.S. Senator Joseph E. Biden, United States Senate (1972-1973); Assistant, Mayor Charles Evers (D-MP), Office of the Mayor, City of Fayette, Mississippi (1973-1974); Staff Attorney, Governor's Pardon, Parole and Rehabilitation Commission, Office of the Governor, State of Louisiana (1977-1978); Member, Louisiana Sentencing Commission, State of Louisiana (1987-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Member & Partner, Gravel Brady & Berrigan (1978-1984); Of Counsel, Berrigan, Litchfield, Schonekas, Mann & Clement (1984-1994)

**Current Memberships:** New Orleans Chapter, Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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**Martin L. C. Feldman**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
 Education: Tulane 1955 BA, 1957 JD  
 Began Service: 1983  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
 Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Minor Wisdom, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1957-1959)

**Judicial:** Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2001-2004)

**Legal Practice:** Bronfin, Heller, Feldman, Steinberg & Berins (1959-1983)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1957-1963)

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**Sarah S. Vance**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: LSU 1971 BA; Tulane 1978 JD  
 Began Service: October 3, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Stone, Pigman, Walther, Wittman & Hutchinson (1978-1982); Partner, Stone, Pigman, Walther, Wittmann & Hutchinson (1983-1985); Sarah S. Vance Law Corporation (1986-1994).

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**G. Thomas Porteous, Jr.**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: LSU 1968 BA, 1971 JD  
 Began Service: October 28, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** Special Counsel, Criminal Division, Department of Justice (1971-1973); Assistant District Attorney, Felony Complaint Division, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana (1973-1974); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana (1976-1984); City Attorney, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana (1982-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Louisiana District Court, 24th Judicial District, Division A, Jefferson Parish (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1973-1984)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Jefferson Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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**Stanwood R. Duval, Jr.**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
 Education: LSU 1964 BA, 1966 JD  
 Began Service: October 31, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** Assistant City Attorney, City of Houma, Louisiana (1970-1972); Delegate, Louisiana Constitutional Convention (1973); Attorney, Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government (1988-1992); Member, Council of the Louisiana Law Institute (1996-2000); Member, Advisory Committee on Appellate Rules, Judicial Conference of the United States (1997-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Senior Partner, Duval Funderburk Lewis; Senior Partner, Duval, Funderburk, Sundberg & Lovell (and predecessor firms) (1966-1994)

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**Eldon E. Fallon**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
 Education: Tulane 1959 BA, 1962 JD;  
 Yale 1963 LLM  
 Began Service: June 26, 1995  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor, Law School, Tulane University

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Tulane Law School (1975-1995); Adjunct Professor, Tulane Law School (2002-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Kierr & Gainsburgh (1962-1968); Partner, Gainsburgh, Benjamin, Fallon & David (1968-1995)

**Chambers of District Judge Eldon E. Fallon** *continued*

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Advocates; American College of Trial Lawyers; The American Law Institute; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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**Mary Ann Vial Lemmon**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
 Education: Loyola (New Orleans) 1964 JD  
 Began Service: July 26, 1996  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Instructor, Trial Advocacy Programs, Loyola Law School (1989); Louisiana State University (1994)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Harry T. Lemmon, Court of Appeal, Fourth Circuit, State of Louisiana (1975-1980); Law Clerk The Honorable Harry T. Lemmon, Supreme Court of Louisiana (1980-1981)

**Judicial:** Judge Pro Tempore, Louisiana District Court, 23rd Judicial District (1981-1982); Judge, Louisiana District Court, 29th Judicial District (1982-1996); Judge Pro Tempore, Louisiana Court of Appeal, First Circuit (1990)

**Legal Practice:** Vial and Lemmon (1964-1982)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Louisiana District Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; 29th Judicial District Bar Association

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**Ivan L.R. Lemelle**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: Xavier (LA) 1971 BS; Loyola (New Orleans) 1974 JD  
 Began Service: April 13, 1998  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Loyola University School of Law (New Orleans)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Judge Robert Collins, Orleans Parish District Court (1972-1974)

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**Chambers of District Judge Ivan L. R. Lemelle** *continued*

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, State of Louisiana (1974-1977); Assistant City Attorney, Parish of Orleans, Louisiana (1977-1978); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Louisiana (1980-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge Ad Hoc, New Orleans Municipal & City Courts (1981-1983); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1984-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Douglas, Nabonne & Wilkerson

**Current Memberships:** The Thomas More - Loyola Law School American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Louis A. Martinet Legal Society; Louisiana State Bar Association

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**Carl J. Barbier**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
 Education: Southeastern Louisiana 1966 BA; Loyola (New Orleans) 1970 JD  
 Began Service: October 12, 1998  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Teacher, Jefferson Parish (1966)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Fred J. Cassibry, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1970-1971); Law Clerk The Honorable William V. Redmann, Louisiana 4th Circuit Court of Appeal

**Corporate:** Accountant, Shell Oil company (1967-1969)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Badeaux and Discon (1971-1973); Partner, Badeaux, Discon, Cumberland and Barbier (1974-1982); Law Offices of Carl J. Barbier (1983-1984); Partner, Barbier and Cumberland (1985-1992); Law Offices of Carl J. Barbier (1992-1993); Owner/Attorney, Barbier Law Firm (1993-1998)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Jefferson Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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**Kurt D. Engelhardt**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1960  
Education: LSU 1982 BA, 1985 JD  
Began Service: December 14, 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Charles Grisbaum, Louisiana Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit (1985-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Commercial Litigation Attorney, Little & Metzger (1987-1992); Partner, Hailey, McNamara, Hall, Larmann & Papale, LLP (1992-2001)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; District Judges Association of the Fifth Circuit; Federal Bar Association; Federal Circuit Bar Association; The Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies; Jefferson Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association; Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity International

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**Jay C. Zainey**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: New Orleans 1972 BS; LSU 1975 JD  
Began Service: February 19, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Traffic Hearing Officer, East Bank of Jefferson Parish

**Judicial:** Judge Ad Hoc, Juvenile Court, Jefferson Parish; Judge Ad Hoc, First Parish Court, Jefferson Parish

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk, Law Offices of George & George, Ltd. (1971-1975); Associate and Partner, James McPherson, Peter J. Abadie, Jr., Dennis Weber & Eugene Booth (1976-1986); Sole Practitioner (1986-2002)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force Reserve (1972-1976)

**Nonprofit:** President, Jefferson Bar Association (1990-1991); President, Louisiana State Bar Association (1995-1996)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Judge John C. Boutall American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; The Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies; Jefferson Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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**Lance M. Africk**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: North Carolina 1973 BA, 1975 JD  
Began Service: April 17, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Instructor, University of New Orleans, 1986-present

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James Gulotta, Louisiana Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit (1975-1976)

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Career Criminal Bureau, Parish of Orleans, Louisiana (1977-1980); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Louisiana, Criminal Division, Department of Justice (1982-1990)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Normann & Normann (1976-1977); Associate, Kierr, Gainsburgh, Benjamin, Fallon & Lewis (1980-1981); McDermott, Inc. (1981-1982)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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**Adrian G. Duplantier**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Loyola (New Orleans) 1949 JD; Virginia 1988 LLM  
Began Service: 1978

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Loyola University Law School (1952)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Civil District Court, Parish of Orleans (1949)

**Government:** First Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Orleans Parish, Louisiana, Dwight D. Eisenhower Administration (1954-1956); State Senator Adrian G. Duplantier (R-LA), Louisiana State Senate (1960-1974)

**Judicial:** Judge, Louisiana Civil District Court (1974-1978)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1950-1953); Rivet & Blum (1956-1974); Private Practice (1974-1978)

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**Peter Hill Beer**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1928  
Education: Tulane 1949 BBA, 1952 LLB; Virginia 1986 LLM

Began Service: December 1979

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Political Affiliation: Independent

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, Tulane University (1977-1981)

**Government:** Vice President, Office of the City Council, City of New Orleans, Louisiana (1969-1974)

**Judicial:** Judge, Louisiana Court of Appeal (1974-1979); Judge, Louisiana Supreme Court (temporary appointment) (1978-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Montgomery, Barnett, Brown & Read (1955-1957); Partner, Montgomery, Barnett, Brown & Read (1957-1974)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1952-1954)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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Senior Judge

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**Marcel Livaudais, Jr.**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1925

Education: Tulane 1945 BA, 1949 JD

Began Service: 1984

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1977-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Boswell & Loeb (1949-1950); Partner, Boswell, Loeb & Livaudais (1956-1960); Partner, Loeb & Livaudais (1960-1967); Partner, Loeb, Dillon & Livaudais (1967-1971); Partner, Loeb & Livaudais (1971-1977)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1943)

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**A. J. McNamara**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936  
Education: LSU 1959 BS; Loyola (New Orleans) 1968 JD

Began Service: June 25, 1982

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Herbert W. Christenberry, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1966-1968)

**Government:** State Representative A. J. McNamara (R-LA), Louisiana House of Representatives (1976-1980); Special Counsel for Legislative Affairs, Governor David Treen (R-LA), Office of the Governor, State of Louisiana (1981)

**Legal Practice:** Private practice (1968-1972); Monton, Roy, Carmouche, Hailey, Bivins & McNamara (1972-1978); Hailey, McNamara, McNamara & Hall (1978-1982)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1959-1962)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association

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**Charles Schwartz, Jr.**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922

Education: Tulane 1943 BA, 1947 JD

Began Service: May 7, 1976

Appointed By: President Gerald Ford

Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, Tulane University

**Government:** District Counsel, Gulf Coast District, United States Maritime Commission (1953-1962)

**Chambers of Senior Judge Charles Schwartz, Jr. continued**

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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**Alma L. Chasez**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Sophie Newcomb 1967 BA; Tulane 1969 JD  
Began Service: September 18, 1984  
Term Expires: 2008

**Academic:** Professor, Tulane University (1974-1975)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Louisiana Civil District Court (1969-1970); Law Clerk, Louisiana Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit (1970-1973)

**Legal Practice:** Sole Practitioner (1972-1980)

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**Louis Moore, Jr.**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Southern U A&M 1969 BA, 1972 JD  
Began Service: May 1985

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**Joseph C. Wilkinson, Jr.**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
Education: LSU 1976 BA; Tulane 1980 JD  
Began Service: March 27, 1995  
Term Expires: March 27, 2011

**Academic:** Assistant Professor of Law (Adjunct Faculty), Tulane University School of Law

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Morey L. Sear, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1980-1982)

**Government:** Attorney/Administrative Assistant, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, William J. Clinton Administration (1994-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1982-1993)

**Current Memberships:** The Thomas More - Loyola Law School American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; New Orleans Bar Association

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**Number of Judgeships: 3**

**Areas Covered:** Parishes of Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Livingston, Pointe Coupee, St. Helena, West Baton Rouge and West Feliciana

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**Ralph E. Tyson**

Chief Judge  
Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: LSU 1970 BA, 1973 JD  
Began Service: August 10, 1998  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Moot Court II, Louisiana State University Law Center (1989-1991); Instructor of Criminal Law and Administration of Criminal Justice, Southern University Department of Sociology/Law Enforcement (1989-1998)

**Government:** Special Counsel then Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Louisiana State Department of Justice; Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Parish of East Baton Rouge, Louisiana (1976-1979); Chief City Prosecutor, City of Baton Rouge, Louisiana

**Judicial:** Judge, Baton Rouge City Court (1988-1993); Judge, 19th Judicial District Court for East Baton Rouge Parish

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Pitcher & Tyson, Attorney's at Law (1973-1978); Partner, Pitcher, Tyson, Avery & Cunningham, Attorney's at Law (1978-1983); Partner, Tyson, Avery & Cunningham, Attorney's at Law (1983-1988)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1970-1978)

**Current Memberships:** Baton Rouge Bar Association; Louis A. Martinet Legal Society; Louisiana State Bar Association; National Bar Association

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**James J. Brady**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
 Education: Southeastern Louisiana 1966 BA;  
 LSU 1969 JD  
 Began Service: May 29, 2000  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1969-2000)

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**John V. Parker**  
 Senior Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1928  
 Education: LSU 1949 BA, 1952 JD  
 Began Service: September 27, 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
 Academic: Visiting Lecturer, Louisiana State University Law School  
 Government: Assistant Attorney, Parish of Orleans, Louisiana (1956-1966)  
 Legal Practice: Parker & Parker (1954-1966); Sanders, Downing, Kean & Cazessus (1966-1979)  
 Military Service: United States Army (1952-1954); United States Army Reserve (1954-1964)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Baton Rouge Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association  
**Staff**  
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**Frank J. Polozola**  
 Senior Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1942  
 Education: LSU 1962, 1965 JD  
 Began Service: 1980  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
 Academic: Adjunct Professor, Louisiana State University Law Center (1977-1995); Adjunct Professor, Southern University Law Center (1986-1990)

#### **Chambers of Senior Judge Frank J. Polozola** *continued*

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable E. Gordon West, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1965-1966)  
**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge (part-time), United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana (1972-1973); Magistrate Judge (full-time), United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana (1973-1980)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Seale, Smith & Phelps (1966-1968); Partner, Seale, Smith & Phelps (1966-1973)

**Current Memberships:** The Wex S. Malone American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Baton Rouge Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

#### **Staff**

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#### **Stephen C. Riedlinger**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: LSU 1971 BA, 1977 JD  
 Began Service: May 29, 1986  
 Term Expires: May 28, 2010

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, United States District Court (1977-1978)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1978-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1971-1977)

**Current Memberships:** Louisiana State Bar Association

#### **Staff**

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 Education: LSU 1987 JD  
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#### **Christine A. Noland**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
 Education: LSU BA, JD  
 Began Service: December 5, 1987  
 Term Expires: December 8, 2011

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John V. Parker, United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1983-1987)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Baton Rouge Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Trial Lawyers Association

#### **Staff**

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#### **Dacia L. Dalby**

Magistrate Judge

Education: LSU 1982 JD  
 Began Service: May 16, 1997  
 Term Expires: May 15, 2013

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Parker

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Phelps, Dunbar; Partner, Rice Fowler

#### **Staff**

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#### **Number of Judgeships: 1**

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#### **Douglas D. Dodd**

Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Tulane 1977 BA; Stanford 1982 JD  
 Began Service: May 2, 2002

#### **Staff**

Law Clerk **Ryan Richmond** ..... (225) 389-0371  
 Began Service: August 1, 2006  
 Term Expires: August 2007

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#### **Richard T. Haik, Sr.**

Chief Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: Southwestern Louisiana 1971 BS; Loyola (New Orleans) 1975 JD

Began Service: June 14, 1991  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
 Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Judge, Louisiana District Court (1984-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Haik & Broussard (1975-1979); Partner, Haik, Broussard & Haik (1979-1981); Partner, Haik, Haik & Minvielle (1981-1984); Partner, Verret Partnership (1982-1985)

**Military Service:** Louisiana National Guard (1971-1978); United States Army Reserve (1978-1984)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; Iberia Parish Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; State Bench Bar Committee, Louisiana State Bar Association

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**Rebecca F. Doherty**  
 District Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1952  
 Education: Northwestern State 1973 BA, 1975 MA; LSU 1981 JD  
 Began Service: November 18, 1991  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush.  
**Legal Practice:** Onebane, Donohoe, Bernard, Torian, Diaz, McNamara & Abell (1981-1991)  
**Current Memberships:** Acadian Association of Women Attorneys; American Bar Association; Lafayette Parish Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association  
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**Tucker L. Melançon**  
 District Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: LSU 1968 BS; Tulane 1973 JD  
 Began Service: 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
**Academic:** Member of Board of Directors and Secretary-Treasurer, Laco Premium Plan Incorporated (1985); Member, Board of Directors and Secretary-Treasury, Southeast Central Louisiana Premium Finance Company (1987); Member, Advisory Board, Catalyst Old River Hydroelectric Partnership (1989-1992)  
**Corporate:** Member, Board of Directors, Catalyst Vidalia Corporation (1992-1994)  
**Legal Practice:** Knoll & Knoll (1973-1975); Sole Practitioner (1975-1983); Partner, Melancon & Rabalais (1984)  
**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association  
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**Robert G. James**  
 District Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Louisiana Tech 1968 BA; LSU 1971 JD  
 Began Service: October 31, 1998  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat  
**Judicial:** Judge (part time), Ruston City Court (1985-1998); Judge Pro Tempore, Supreme Court of Louisiana, Lincoln and Union Parishes (1993-1997)  
**Legal Practice:** Associate, Barham, Wright, Barham & Dawkins (1971-1972); Partner, Barham, Wright, Barham & Dawkins (and successor firms) (1972-1985)  
**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judges Association; Louisiana Parish Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Tech University Foundation; The Nature Conservancy  
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**Dee D. Drell**  
 District Judge  
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 Education: Tulane 1968 BA, 1971 JD  
 Began Service: May 9, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Gravel, Roy and Burns (1975-1981); Member, Gold, Weems, Bruser, Sues & Rundell (1981-2003)  
**Military Service:** Judge Advocate General, United States Army (1971-1975)  
**Current Memberships:** Alexandria Bar Association; American Bar Association; The Crossroads Inn of Court of Alexandria-Pineville, The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Louisiana State Bar Association  
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**S. Maurice Hicks, Jr.**  
 District Judge  
 Date of Birth: December 5, 1952  
 Education: Texas Christian 1974 BA; LSU 1977 JD  
 Began Service: June 12, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
 Political Affiliation: Republican  
**Current Memberships:** Louisiana State Bar Association; Shreveport Bar Association

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**Patricia Head Minaldi**  
 District Judge  
 Date of Birth: September 12, 1958  
 Education: Wesleyan U 1980 BA; Tulane 1983 JD  
 Began Service: June 16, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
 Political Affiliation: Republican  
**Current Memberships:** Louisiana State Bar Association; Southwest Louisiana Bar Association

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**Tom Stagg**  
 Senior Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1923  
 Education: LSU 1943 BA, 1949 JD  
 Began Service: 1974  
 Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon  
**Legal Practice:** Hargrove, Guyton, Van Hook & Hargrove (1949-1954); Senior Partner, Stagg, Cady & Beard (1958-1974)  
**Military Service:** United States Army (1943-1946)  
**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Shreveport Bar Association

**Staff**  
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     Term Expires: 2007  
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**Donald E. Walter**  
 Senior Judge  
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 Education: LSU 1961 BA, 1964 JD  
 Began Service: July 15, 1985  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Centenary College  
**Government:** United States Attorney, Western District of Louisiana, Department of Justice (1969-1977)  
**Legal Practice:** Cavanaugh, Brame, Holt & Woodley (1964-1966); Holt & Woodley (1966-1969); Hargrove, Guyton, Ramey & Barlow (1978-1985)  
**Military Service:** United States Army (1957-1958)

**Staff**  
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     Term Expires: August 2007  
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**James T. Trimble, Jr.**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1932  
 Education: LSU 1955 BA, 1956 JD  
 Began Service: September 12, 1991  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
 Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Louisiana (1986-1991); District Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Louisiana (1991-2002)  
**Legal Practice:** Gist, Murchison, & Gist (1959-1978); Trimble, Percy, Smith, Wilson, Foote, Walker & Honeycutt (1979-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1956-1959)  
**Current Memberships:** Federal Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association; Louisiana Bar Foundation, Louisiana State Bar Association; Southwest Louisiana Bar Association

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**Mildred E. Methvin**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Tulane 1974 BA; Georgetown 1976 JD  
Began Service: June 13, 1983  
Term Expires: June 13, 2007

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Louisiana, Department of Justice, Jimmy Carter Administration (1979-1981); Staff Attorney, Department of Interior, Ronald Reagan Administration (1981-1983); Staff Assistant, U.S. Representative Gillis William Long (R-LA), United States House of Representatives (1974-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Gist, Methvin & Trimble (1977-1979)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inn of Court of Acadiana, The American Inns of Court; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

**Staff**  
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**Alonzo P. Wilson**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: LSU 1974 JD  
Began Service: December 17, 1991  
Term Expires: December 16, 2007

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice; Associate, Wilson & Walker Law Firm

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**Chambers of Magistrate Judge James D. Kirk**  
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**James D. Kirk**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: LSU 1972 BS, 1975 JD  
Began Service: December 15, 1997  
Term Expires: December 2013  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William A. Culpepper, Louisiana Court of Appeal, Third Circuit (1975-1976)



#### Chambers of Magistrate Judge James D. Kirk *continued*

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Natchitoches Parish, State of Louisiana (1979-1981)  
**Legal Practice:** Sole Practitioner, James D. Kirk, A Professional Law Corporation (1996-1997)  
**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Louisiana State Bar Association

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**C. Michael Hill**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: LSU 1976 JD  
Began Service: July 30, 2001  
Term Expires: July 30, 2009  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Staff, Paul M. Hebert Law Center (1976-1977)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney (1977-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1982-2001)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The John M. Duhe, Jr. American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Lafayette Parish Bar Association; Louisiana State Bar Association

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**Mark L. Hornsby**  
Magistrate Judge

Education: LSU 1985 BS, 1988 JD  
Began Service: January 14, 2005

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Tom Stagg, United States District Court for the Western District of Louisiana (1988-1990)

**Legal Practice:** Wiener, Weiss & Madison (1990-2005)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Louisiana State Bar Association; Shreveport Bar Association

#### Staff

Career Law Clerk **Christopher Slatten** ..... (318) 676-3265  
Education: LSU 1990 JD  
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#### Chambers of Magistrate Judge Karen L. Hayes

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**Karen L. Hayes**  
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: June 26, 1997

#### Chambers of Magistrate Judge Karen L. Hayes *continued*

**Staff**  
Career Law Clerk **Angela James Vitale** ..... (318) 388-6036

#### Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) Robert H. Shemwell

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**Robert H. Shemwell**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: LSU 1963 BA, 1967 JD  
Began Service: April 4, 1984  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Louisiana, United States Department of Justice (1970-1975); Acting Clerk, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Louisiana (1986-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Seale, Smith, Baine & Phelps (1967-1970)

**Current Memberships:** Louisiana State Bar Association; Shreveport Bar Association

#### Staff

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Internet: www.lawb.uscourts.gov

#### Number of Judgeships: 3

#### Court Staff

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#### Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Stephen V. Callaway

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**Stephen V. Callaway**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: LSU 1970 BA, 1973 JD  
Began Service: August 9, 1986  
Term Expires: August 8, 2014

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Burnett, Sutton, Walker & Callaway (1973-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps Reserve

#### Staff

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**Henley A. Hunter**

Bankruptcy Judge  
Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Arkansas 1966 BA; LSU 1969 JD  
Began Service: July 31, 1987  
Term Expires: July 30, 2014

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Louisiana Court of Appeals, Second Circuit

**Legal Practice:** Eatman & Hunter (1970-1987)

**Current Memberships:** Alexandria Bar Association; American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Louisiana State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

#### Staff

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#### Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Robert R. Summerhays

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**Robert R. Summerhays**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: October 2006  
Term Expires: October 2020

#### United States District Court for the District of Maine

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#### Number of Judgeships: 3

#### Court Staff

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**United States District Court for the District of Maine continued**  
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**Chambers of Chief Judge George Z. Singal**  
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**George Z. Singal**  
 Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
 Education: Maine 1967 BA; Harvard 1970 JD  
 Began Service: July 2000  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Gross, Minsky, Mogul and Singal (1970-1973); Partner, Gross, Minsky, Mogul and Singal (1973-2000)

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**D. Brock Hornby**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
 Education: Western Ontario 1965 BA;  
 Harvard 1969 JD  
 Began Service: 1990  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Associate Professor, University of Virginia School of Law (1970-1974)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Minor Wisdom, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1969-1970)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1982-1988); Associate Justice, Maine Supreme Judicial Court (1988-1990); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1996-2003); Chair, Committee on Court Administration and Case Management, Judicial Conference of the United States (1997-2000); Member, Executive Committee, Judicial Conference of the United States (2000-2003); Member, Judicial Conduct and Disability Act Study Committee (2004); Chair, Judicial Conference Committee on the Judicial Branch (2005)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Perkins, Thompson, Hinckley & Keddy (1974-1982)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Cumberland County Bar Association; Maine State Bar Association; Maine Bar Foundation, Maine State Bar Association

**Staff**  
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 Education: Virginia 2006 JD  
 Law Clerk **Lori Danielle Tully** ..... (207) 780-3462  
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### Chambers of District Judge John A. Woodcock, Jr.

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**John Alden Woodcock, Jr.**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: July 6, 1950  
 Education: Bowdoin 1972 BA; U London 1973 MA; Maine 1976 JD  
 Began Service: June 27, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Current Memberships:** The John Waldo Ballou American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court

#### Staff

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### Chambers of Senior Judge Gene Carter

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**Gene Carter**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
 Education: Maine 1958 BA; NYU 1961 LLB  
 Began Service: July 5, 1983  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. Spencer Bell, United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

**Government:** Chairman, Housing Authority, City of Bangor, Maine (1973-1978)

**Judicial:** Associate Justice, Maine Supreme Judicial Court (1980-1983); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1989-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Rudman & Winchell (1965-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1962-1968)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Trial Lawyers; International Society of Barristers; Maine State Bar Association; Maine Trial Lawyers Association; Penobscot County Bar Association

#### Staff

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 Education: Maine 1991 JD  
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### Chambers of Magistrate Judge David M. Cohen

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**David M. Cohen**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
 Education: Bowdoin 1964 AB; Boston Col 1967 LLB  
 Began Service: October 11, 1988  
 Term Expires: October 10, 2012

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Frank M. Coffin, United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit (1967-1968)

### Chambers of Magistrate Judge David M. Cohen continued

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Berman, Berman, Wernick & Flaherty (1968-1971); Associate, Preti & Flaherty (1971-1977); Partner, Preti, Flaherty & Beliveau (1978-1980); Partner, Petrucci, Cohen, Erler & Cox (1980-1988)

**Current Memberships:** Cumberland County Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Maine State Bar Association

#### Staff

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 Education: Oberlin 1978 BA;  
 Northwestern 1980 MSJ; Yale 1990 JD  
 Law Clerk **Arlyn H. Weeks** ..... (207) 780-3360  
 Education: Vassar 1971 AB;  
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**Margaret J. Kravchuk**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Bethany (WV) 1970 BA; Brown 1971 MAT; Maine 1976 JD  
 Began Service: January 21, 2000  
 Term Expires: January 21, 2008

**Academic:** Teacher, Bristol High School

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Maine Superior Court (1976-1977)

**Judicial:** Judge, Maine District Court (1985-1990); Judge, Maine Superior Court (1990-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Office of the District Attorney (1977-1985)

#### Staff

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**William S. Brownell**  
 Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Maine 1968 BA, 1971 JD  
 Began Service: January 1, 1979.  
 Term Expires: March 17, 2008

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Randolph A. Weatherbee, Maine Supreme Judicial Court (1971-1972)

**Government:** Chief Deputy Clerk, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1973-1978); Clerk, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1979)

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**Number of Judgeships:** 2

#### Court Staff

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 Maine 1995 JD

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Education: Southern Maine 2003 BA

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**Louis H. Kornreich**

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
 Education: Connecticut 1971 BA; Catholic U 1974 JD  
 Began Service: April 3, 2001  
 Term Expires: 2015

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the First Circuit

**Judicial:** Appellate Judge, Penobscot Indian Nation (1981-2001)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Goodman, Goodman & Kornreich (1975-1982); Partner, Gross, Minsky, Mogul & Singal (1982-2001)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1974-1975)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; Maine State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Penobscot County Bar Association

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**Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Louis H. Kornreich** *continued*

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**James B. Haines, Jr.**  
Bankruptcy Judge  
Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Washington State 1970 BA; Willamette 1977 JD  
Began Service: 1990  
Term Expires: August 2018  
**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the First Circuit

**Academic:** Associate Professor of Law, University of West Virginia (1980-1983)

**Clerkships:** Judicial Law Clerk The Honorable Eugene A. Wright, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (1977-1978)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Davis, Wright, Todd, Riese & Jones; Hewes, Culley & Beals (1983-1986); Partner, Black, Lambert, Coffin & Haines (1986-1990)

**Military Service:** United States Coast Guard (1970-1974)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; Judicial Conference of the United States; National Conference of Bankruptcy Clerks; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Staff**  
Law Clerk **Alexander Leddy** ..... (207) 780-3656  
Education: Maine 1995 JD  
Judicial Assistant **Karen L. Scovill** ..... (207) 780-3653  
Education: Southern Maine 1990 AB

## United States District Court for the District of Maryland

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Number of Judgeships: 10

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Chief Deputy Clerk **Frances Kessler** ..... (410) 962-3191  
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**Benson Everett Legg**  
Chief Judge  
Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Princeton 1970 AB; Virginia 1973 JD  
Began Service: September 18, 1991  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Frank A. Kaufman, United States District Court for the District of Maryland (1973-1974)

**Chambers of Chief Judge Benson Everett Legg** *continued*

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Venable, Baetjer & Howard (1975-1982); Partner, Venable, Baetjer & Howard (1982-1991)  
**Current Memberships:** The Bar Association of Baltimore City; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Maryland Bar Foundation, Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Sergeant's Inn Law Club

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**J. Frederick Motz**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Wesleyan U 1964 AB; Virginia 1967 LLB

Began Service: 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Affiliation:** District Judge (R), Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Harrison L. Winter, United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit (1967-1968)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Maryland, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1969-1971); United States Attorney, District of Maryland, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Venable, Baetjer & Howard (1968-1969); Partner, Venable, Baetjer & Howard (1971-1981)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The American Law Institute; The Bar Association of Baltimore City; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.

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Education: Virginia 2006 JD

Law Clerk **Saleela Salahuddin** ..... (410) 962-0782  
Education: Yale 2006 JD

Law Clerk **Joseph Swanson** ..... (410) 962-0782  
Education: Georgetown 2006 JD

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**Peter J. Messitte**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: Amherst 1963 BA; Chicago 1966 JD  
Began Service: November 15, 1993

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** Volunteer, United States Peace Corps (1966-1968)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Maryland Circuit Court, Montgomery County (1985-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Zuckert, Scott & Rasenberger (1969-1971); Private Practice (1971-1975); Partner, Messitte & Rosenberg (1975-1981); Private Practice (1981-1985)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The District of Columbia Bar; Federal Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Montgomery County Bar Association (MD)

**Chambers of District Judge Peter J. Messitte** *continued*

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Daren Firestone** ..... (301) 344-0632

Education: Northwestern JD

Law Clerk **Rebecca Mandel** ..... (301) 344-0632

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**Deborah K. Chasanow**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948

Education: Rutgers 1970 BA; Stanford 1974 JD

Began Service: 1993

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Part-Time Teacher, University of Baltimore (1978-1984); Part-Time Teacher, University of Maryland (1978-1984)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable David L. Cahoon (1974-1975)

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Maryland (1975-1979); Chief of Criminal Appeals Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Maryland (1979-1987)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maryland (1987-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Cole & Groner

**Current Memberships:** The Marlborough American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Judges Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; National Association of Women Judges; Prince Georges County Bar Association; Women's Bar Association of Maryland

**Staff**

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**Alexander Williams, Jr.**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948

Education: Howard U 1970 BA, 1973 JD, 1991 MA; Temple 1995 MA

Began Service: August 17, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Howard University School of Law (1978-1980); Associate Professor, Howard University School of Law (1980-1986); Professor of Law, Howard University School of Law (1986-1989)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James H. Taylor, Maryland Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit (1973-1974)

**Government:** Municipal Attorney, Prince George's County, Maryland (1975-1987); Assistant Public Defender, Prince George's County, Maryland (1977-1978); Staff Attorney, Office of the Public Defender, Prince George's County, Maryland (1977-1978); Hearing Examiner and Special Counsel to the Board of Education, Prince George's County (1978-1987); State's Attorney, State of Maryland (1987-1994)

**Judicial:** Substitute Juvenile Master, Prince George's County, Maryland (1976-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Law Offices of Alexander Williams, Jr. (1974-1986)

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**Chambers of District Judge Alexander Williams, Jr.** *continued*

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**Catherine C. Blake**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950

Education: Radcliffe 1972 AB; Harvard 1975 JD

Began Service: August 1995

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Maryland, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1977-1983); First Assistant United States Attorney, District of Maryland, United States Department of Justice (1983-1985); United States Attorney (court-appointed), District of Maryland, United States Department of Justice (1985-1986)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maryland (1987-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Palmer & Dodge (1975-1977)

**Current Memberships:** The Bar Association of Baltimore City; Federal Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; National Association of Women Judges

**Staff**

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Began Service: August 14, 2006

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**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Maryland District Court, Baltimore City (1987-1990); Associate Judge, Circuit Court for Baltimore City (1990-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Frank, Bernstein, Conaway & Goldman (1983-1984)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Monumental City Bar Association

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Term Expires: 2007

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**William D. Quarles, Jr.**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: January 16, 1948  
Education: Maryland 1976 BS; Catholic U 1979 JD  
Began Service: March 24, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, District Judge Joseph C. Howard, United States District Court for the District of Maryland (1979-1981)

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Maryland, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1982-1986)

**Judicial:** Associate Circuit Judge, Circuit Court, City of Baltimore, Maryland (1996-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Finley, Kumble, Wagner, Heine, Underberg & Casey (1981-1982); Associate, Venable, Baetjer and Howard (1986-1987); Equity Partner, Venable, Baetjer and Howard (1987-1996)

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**Richard D. Bennett**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: August 12, 1947  
Education: Pennsylvania 1969 BA; Maryland 1973 JD  
Began Service: April 29, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Maryland, United States Department of Justice (1976-1980); U.S. Attorney, District of Maryland, United States Department of Justice (1991-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Smith, Somerville & Case (1973-1976); Partner, Marr and Bennett (1981-1988); Partner, Weaver, Bendos, and Bennett (1989-1991); Partner, Miles & Stockbridge P.C. (1993-2003)

**Military Service:** Maryland Army National Guard, United States Army Reserve (1969-1975); Maryland Army National Guard, United States Army Reserve (1983-1997)

**Chambers of District Judge Richard D. Bennett** *continued*

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Term Expires: August 2007  
Education: Harvard 2000 JD

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**Roger W. Titus**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: December 16, 1941  
Education: Johns Hopkins 1963 BA; Georgetown 1966 JD  
Began Service: November 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Georgetown University Law Center (1972-1978)

**Government:** Assistant City Attorney, City of Rockville, Maryland (1966-1969); City Attorney, City of Rockville, Maryland (1970-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Titus & Glasgow (1973-1988); Partner, Venable, Baetjer and Howard LLP (1988-2003)

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**William M. Nickerson**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
Education: Virginia 1955 BA; Maryland 1962 LLB  
Began Service: 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James K. Cullen, Supreme Bench of Baltimore City (1959-1962)

**Corporate:** Claims Examiner, United States Fidelity & Guarantee Co. (1959)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, Circuit Court for Baltimore County (1985-1990)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Whiteford, Taylor & Preston (1962-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Coast Guard (1955-1959)

**Current Memberships:** Christian Legal Society; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Wednesday Law Club

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**Marvin Joseph Garbis**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936  
Education: Johns Hopkins 1958 BES; Harvard 1961 JD;  
Georgetown 1962 LLM  
Began Service: 1989  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Attorney, Civil Trial Section, Tax Division, United States Department of Justice (1963-1967)

**Legal Practice:** Sole Practitioner (1967-1971); Partner, Garbis, Marvel & Junghans; Garbis & Schwart (1971-1986); Member, Melnicove, Kaufman, Weiner, Smouse & Garbis (1986-1988); Member, Johnson & Gibbs (1988-1989)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association

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**Paul W. Grimm**

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: New Mexico 1976 JD  
Began Service: 1997  
Term Expires: 2013

**Government:** Assistant States Attorney, County of Baltimore, Maryland (1980-1981); Assistant Attorney General, State of Maryland (1981-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1984-1997)

**Military Service:** Captain, United States Army (1976-1979)

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**Jillyn K. Schulze**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: Maryland 1980 JD  
Began Service: October 24, 1994  
Term Expires: October 2010

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, United States District Court (1980-1981)

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1981-1982); Counsel, Office of the Governor, State of Maryland (1991-1994)

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**Chambers of Magistrate Judge Jillyn K. Schulze** *continued*

**Judicial:** Chief Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maryland (2006)

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**William G. Connelly**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Maryland 1973 BA, 1976 JD;  
Georgetown 1979 LLM  
Began Service: March 31, 1995  
Term Expires: March 30, 2011

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Maryland Circuit Court, Prince George's County (1976-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Stern & Connelly (1981-1995)

**Military Service:** Active, United States Air Force (1977-1981); Reserves, United States Air Force (1981-2005)

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**Susan K. Gauvey**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Northwestern 1973 JD  
Began Service: February 26, 1996  
Term Expires: February 26, 2012

Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Morell E. Sharp, United States District Court for the Western District of Washington (1973-1974)

**Government:** Staff Attorney, Legal Aid Bureau, Mental Health Law Project (1975-1977); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, State of Maryland (1979-1981)

**Legal Practice:** Venable, Baetjer & Howard (1986-1996)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; National Association of Women Judges; National Women's Law Center; Network 2000; Wranglers Law Club

**Staff**

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Began Service: August 2006  
Education: Fordham JD

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**Charles B. Day**  
Magistrate Judge

Education: Maryland 1984 JD  
Began Service: February 18, 1997  
Term Expires: February 2013

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**James K. Bredar**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1957  
Education: Harvard 1979 AB;  
Georgetown 1982 JD  
Began Service: January 26, 1998  
Term Expires: January 2014



**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Richard P. Matsch, United States District Court for the District of Colorado

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Colorado, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1985-1989); Assistant Federal Public Defender, State of Denver, Colorado (1989-1991); Federal Public Defender, United States District Court for the District of Maryland

**Nonprofit:** Project Director, Vera Institute of Justice (1991-1992)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.

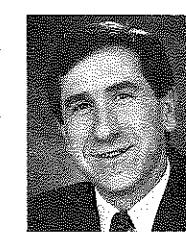
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Education: Baltimore JD  
Secretary **Charlotte Wyatt** ..... (410) 962-0950

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**Beth P. Gesner**  
Magistrate Judge  
Education: Indiana (PA) 1979 BA; Georgetown 1983 JD  
Began Service: May 1999

**Staff**  
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**Thomas M. DiGirolamo**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1956  
Education: Dickinson 1981 JD  
Began Service: June 30, 2004  
Term Expires: June 2012  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Maryland Circuit Court, Washington County (1981-1982)

**Government:** Assistant State Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, County of Washington, Maryland (1983-1988)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Washington County Bar Association

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**Victor H. Laws III**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: Brown 1975 AB; Maryland 1978 JD  
Began Service: March 22, 1988  
Term Expires: March 20, 2008  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Affiliation:** Partner, Laws & Robertson, PA

**Academic:** Instructor, Salisbury State University (1985-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Long, Laws, Hughes & Bahen (1978-1984); Partner, Laws & Laws (1984-1994); Partner, Laws, Laws & Smith (1995-1997); Partner, Laws & Laws (1997-2002)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; Wicomico County Bar Association

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**Duncan W. Keir**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Maryland 1975 JD  
Began Service: 1993  
Term Expires: November 2007

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, University of Maryland School of Law (1989)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Miles & Stockbridge (1975-1991); Deputy General Counsel, Maryland National Bank-American Security Bank (1991-1993)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1968-1972)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Bankruptcy; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Staff**  
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**James F. Schneider**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Baltimore 1969 BA, 1972 JD  
Began Service: February 1, 1982  
Term Expires: October 2, 2014



**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Albert L. Sklar, Baltimore City Circuit Court (1972-1973)

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, State of Maryland (1973-1978); General Equity Master, Supreme Bench, City of Baltimore, Maryland (1978-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Bar Association of Baltimore City; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.

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**Paul Mannes**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
Education: Dartmouth 1955 AB;  
Georgetown 1958 LLB, 1961 LLM  
Began Service: December 30, 1981  
Term Expires: September 30, 2014



**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable A.L. Holtzoff, United States District Court for the District of Columbia (1957-1960)

**Government:** Assistant Corporate Counsel, District of Columbia (1959-1960)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Bernstein, Alper, Klavan & Mannes (and predecessor firms) (1960-1968); Partner, Klavan & Mannes (1968-1975); Partner, Mannes, Meyers, Nadonley, Townsend and O'Brien (1975-1981)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Montgomery County Bar Association (MD); National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Bankruptcy Judge

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**Thomas J. Catliota**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education: Marquette 1977 BS; Catholic U 1983 JD; Georgetown 1985 LLM  
Began Service: April 2006

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable L. Bragolis, United States Court of Federal Claims (1983-1984)

**Corporate:** Credit Analyst, First Bank Milwaukee (1976-1982); Commercial Loan Officer, District of Columbia, First American Bank (1979-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman

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Bankruptcy Judge  
Began Service: 2006

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**Robert A. Gordon**  
Bankruptcy Judge  
Began Service: June 2006  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

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**E. Stephen Derby**  
Bankruptcy Judge (recalled)  
Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Wesleyan U 1960 AB; Harvard 1965 LLB  
Began Service: December 9, 1987  
Term Expires: December 8, 2015  
**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, University of Maryland (1987-1999)  
**Clerkships:** Clerk, United States District Court for the District of Maryland and United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit (1965-1966)  
**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, State of Maryland (1971-1973)  
**Legal Practice:** Associate, Piper & Marbury (1966-1971); Partner, Piper & Marbury (1973-1987)  
**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; The William Paca - Margaret Brent American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Anne Arundel Bar Association; Bankruptcy Bar Association of the District of Maryland; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.

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**Mark L. Wolf**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Yale 1968 BA; Harvard 1971 JD  
Began Service: 1985

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
**Academic:** Lecturer, Harvard Law School (1989); Lecturer, Boston College Law School (1992)

**Government:** Special Assistant to the United States Deputy Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1975); Special Assistant to the United States Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1975-1977); Deputy United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Public Corruption Unit, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Surrey, Karasik & Morse (1971-1974); Associate and Partner, Sullivan & Worcester (1977-1981)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1969-1975)

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District Judge

Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Harvard 1962 AB, 1967 LLB  
Began Service: 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Lecturer in Law, Boston College Law School (1968-1995);  
Lecturer in Law, Harvard Law School (1979-2005); Lecturer in Law, Boston University School of Law (1979-2005)

**Chambers of District Judge William G. Young continued**

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Raymond S. Wilkins, Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court (1967-1968)

**Government:** Special Assistant Attorney General, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1970-1972); Chief Counsel, Office of the Governor, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1972-1974)

**Judicial:** Associate Justice, Massachusetts Superior Court (1978-1985); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts

**Legal Practice:** Bingham, Dana & Gould (1968-1978)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1962-1964)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Boston Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Association

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Education: Harvard 2006

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**Joseph L. Tauro**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1931  
Education: Brown 1953 AB; Cornell 1956 LLB  
Began Service: 1972

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

**Academic:** Visiting Professor, Boston University (1977)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Department of Justice (1958-1960); Chief Legal Counsel to the Governor, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1965-1968); United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Department of Justice

**Legal Practice:** Jaffee & Tauro (1960-1971)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1956-1958)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Boston Bar Association; Cornell Law Association; The District of Columbia Bar; Massachusetts Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Rya W. Zobel**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1931

Education: Radcliffe 1953 AB; Harvard 1956 LLB

Began Service: 1979

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Adjunct Lecturer, Harvard University (2000)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable George C. Sweeney, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1956-1966)

**Government:** Director, Federal Judicial Center (1995-1999)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Hill & Barlow (1967-1973); Associate then Partner, Goodwin, Procter & Hoar (1973-1979)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Boston Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges

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**Douglas P. Woodlock**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: Yale 1969 BA; Georgetown 1975 JD

Began Service: 1986

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Instructor, Harvard Law School (1981); Instructor, Harvard Law School (1982)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Frank J. Murray, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1975-1976)

**Corporate:** Newspaper reporter, Chicago Sun-Times Springfield, IL, Chicago IL, and Washington, DC (1969-1973)

**Government:** Staff, Securities and Exchange Commission (1973-1975); Chairman, Board of Appeals, Town of Hamilton, Massachusetts (1978-1979); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1979-1983); Chairman, Massachusetts Committee for Public Counsel Services (1984-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Goodwin, Procter & Hoar (1976-1979); Associate, Goodwin, Procter & Hoar (1983-1984); Partner, Goodwin, Procter & Hoar (1984-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Boston Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Massachusetts Bar Association

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**Nathaniel M. Gorton**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
 Education: Dartmouth 1960 AB; Columbia 1966 LLB  
 Began Service: October 27, 1992  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush  
 Political Affiliation: Republican

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Nutter, McCennen & Fish (1966-1969); Partner, Director and Shareholder, Powers & Hall, PC (1970-1992)

**Military Service:** Lieutenant JG, United States Navy (1960-1962)

**Current Memberships:** Boston Bar Association

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**Richard G. Stearns**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
 Education: Stanford 1968 BA; Oxford (UK) 1971 MA; Harvard 1976 JD  
 Began Service: January 5, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Instructor, Harvard University Law School (1984-1987)

**Government:** Special Assistant, U.S. Senator George S. McGovern (D-MA), United States Senate (1972-1973); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1977-1979); Campaign Advisor, Kennedy for President Campaign (1979-1980); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1980-1982); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1982-1990)

**Judicial:** Associate Justice, Massachusetts Superior Court (1990-1994)

**Nonprofit:** Deputy Campaign Manager, Presidential Campaign of Senator George S. McGovern (1970-1972)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association

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**Reginald C. Lindsay**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
 Education: Morehouse Col 1967 BA; Harvard 1970 JD

Began Service: January 5, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Member, Department of Public Utilities, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1975-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Hill & Barlow (1970-1993)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Boston Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Association; National Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Patti B. Saris**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
 Education: Radcliffe 1973 BA; Harvard 1976 JD  
 Began Service: 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert Braucher, Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court (1976-1977)

**Government:** Staff Counsel, Senate Judiciary Committee, United States Senate (1979-1981); Assistant United States Attorney and Chief, District of Massachusetts, Office of the United States Attorney, Civil Division, United States Department of Justice (1984-1986)

**Chambers of District Judge Patti B. Saris** *continued*

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1986-1989); Associate Justice, Massachusetts Superior Court (1989-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Foley, Hoag & Eliot (1977-1979); Berman, Dittmar & Engel (1981-1982)

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**Nancy Gertner**

District Judge

Education: Columbia 1967 BA; Yale 1971 JD

Began Service: April 25, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Affiliation:** Instructor, Law School, Yale University

**Academic:** Instructor, Boston University (1972-1976); Instructor, Boston University (1987-1990); Instructor, Boston University (1994-1995); Instructor, Boston College (1994-1998); Instructor, School of Law, Northeastern University (2001)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Luther M. Swygert, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1971-1972)

**Legal Practice:** Associate/Partner, Zalkind & Silvergate (1972-1973); Partner, Silvergate, Shapiro & Gertner (and predecessor firms) (1973-1989); Private Practice (1989-1990); Partner, Dwyer, Collora and Gertner (1990-1994)

**Current Memberships:** Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The American Law Institute; Massachusetts Bar Association

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**Michael A. Ponsor**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946

Education: Harvard 1969 AB; Oxford (UK) 1971 BA; Yale 1975 JD

Began Service: 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Teacher, Kenya Institute of Administration (1967-1968); Adjunct Professor, Yale Law School (1989-1991)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Joseph L. Tauro, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1975-1976)

**Corporate:** Reporter, Minneapolis Tribune (1969); Reporter, Minneapolis Tribune (1971)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Homans, Hamilton & Dahmen (1976-1978); Partner, Brown, Hart & Ponsor (1978-1983)

**Current Memberships:** Boston Bar Association; Hampshire County Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Association

**Staff**

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**George A. O'Toole, Jr.**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: Boston Col 1969 AB; Harvard 1972 JD

Began Service: July 10, 1995

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Judicial:** Associate Justice, Boston Municipal Court (1982-1990); Associate Justice, Superior Court of Massachusetts (1990-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Hale and Dorr (1972-1977); Junior Partner, Hale and Dorr (1978-1982)

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**F. Dennis Saylor IV**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: July 3, 1955  
Education: Northwestern 1977 BSJ; Harvard 1981 JD  
Began Service: June 15, 2004  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1987-1990); Special Counsel/Chief of Staff to the Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1990-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Goodwin Procter, L.L.P. (1981-1987); Partner, Goodwin Procter, L.L.P. (1993-2004)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Boston Bar Association; Worcester County Bar Association

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**Edward F. Harrington**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
Education: Col Holy Cross 1955 AB; Boston Col 1960 JD  
Began Service: February 22, 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Paul C. Reardon, Massachusetts Superior Court (1960-1961)

**Government:** Special Trial Attorney, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1961-1965); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1965-1969); Attorney-in-Charge, Strike Force Against Organized Crime, United States Department of Justice (1970-1973); Chairman, Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (1975-1977); United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Department of Justice (1977-1981)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Offices of Paul T. Smith (1961); Associate, Offices of Melvin Louison, Taunton Green (1969); Partner, Pelouquin, McKeon & Reilly (1973-1975); Partner, Gargan, Harrington & Markham (1975-1977); Partner, Sheridan, Garrahan & Lander (1981-1988)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1955-1957); United States Naval Reserve (1957-1972)

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**Morris E. Lasker**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1917  
Education: Harvard 1938 AB; Yale 1941 LLB  
Began Service: June 1968  
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson

**Government:** Staff Attorney, Committee Investigating National Defense Programs, United States Senate (1941-1942); Town Attorney, Town of New Castle, New York (1955-1957)

**Judicial:** Justice of the Peace (1957-1958)

**Legal Practice:** Battle, Fowler, Jaffin, Pierce, & Kheel (1946-1968)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1942-1946)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; The New York State Bar Association

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**Marianne B. Bowler**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Regis Col (MA) 1967 AB;

Suffolk 1976 JD

Began Service: May 7, 1990

Term Expires: May 2014

Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Affiliation:** Trustee, Board of Trustees, Suffolk University

**Academic:** Assistant Director, Attorney General's Advocacy Institute (1987-1988)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Massachusetts Superior Court (1976-1977); Deputy Chief Law Clerk, Massachusetts Superior Court (1977-1978)

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1978); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1978-1990); Senior Litigation Counsel, United States Department of Justice (1989-1990); Assistant Director, Attorney General's Advocacy Institute, United States Department of Justice

**Nonprofit:** Overseer, Constitution Museum; Boston Foundation Board of Directors

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**Robert B. Collings**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Hamilton 1964 AB; Harvard 1967 JD  
Began Service: March 15, 1982  
Term Expires: March 14, 2014



**Academic:** Lecturer at Law, Harvard (1988-1992); Lecturer of Law, Northeastern (1989-1990); Visiting Lecturer, Stanford University (2000-2004)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court (1967)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1971-1976); Assistant United States Attorney, Chief, District of Massachusetts, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1976-1982); First Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Department of Justice (1978-1981)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1967-1971)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Boston Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Massachusetts Bar Association

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**Joyce London Alexander**  
Magistrate Judge

Education: Howard U 1969 BA; New England 1972 JD

Began Service: August 1979

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Tufts University (1974-1975); On Camera Legal Editor, WBZ TV Boston; Instructor, Harvard Law School, Civil Trial Advocacy Program

**Government:** Legal Counsel, Youth Activities Commission (1974-1976); General Counsel, Massachusetts Board of Higher Education (1976-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Staff Attorney, Reginald Heber Smith Fellow, Greater Boston Legal Assistance Project

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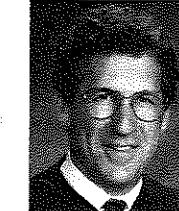
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**Kenneth P. Neiman**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945

Education: Tufts 1967 BA; Harvard 1971 JD  
Began Service: January 5, 1995

Term Expires: January 4, 2011



**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor, Western New England College School of Law

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, University of Massachusetts (1974-1982); Adjunct Professor, Smith School for Social Work (1976-1981); Adjunct Professor, Western New England College School of Law (1985)

**Legal Practice:** Center on Social Welfare Policy and Law (1971-1973); Staff and Managing Attorney, Western Massachusetts Legal Services (1973-1981); Partner, Fierst & Neiman (1981-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Federal Courts Law Review; Hampshire County Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Foundation, Massachusetts Bar Association

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**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James N. Garbriel, United States Bankruptcy Court (1982-1986)

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Term Expires: December 2010 ()

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the First Circuit; Adjunct Professor, Secured Transactions and Bankruptcy Law, Western New England College School of Law

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Northeastern University School of Law (1998-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Friedman & Atherton (1976-1981); Boroff & Associates (1981-1993)

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Began Service: August 10, 2000  
Term Expires: August 1, 2014



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**Legal Practice:** President and Managing Shareholder, Shapiro, Israel & Weiner, P.C.

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Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Detroit Law 1968 JD  
Began Service: June 1, 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Felony Trial Attorney, Office of the Prosecutor, State of Michigan (1969-1970)

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan District Court, 48th District (1982-1988)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Harrison, Friedman & Roberson (1970-1974); Partner, Harrison & Friedman (1974-1978); Partner, Lippitt, Harrison, Friedman & Whitefield (1978-1982)

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**Gerald E. Rosen**  
District Judge

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Education: Kalamazoo 1973 BA;  
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Began Service: 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor, Thomas M. Cooley Law School

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Law School, Wayne State University (1992-1993); Adjunct Professor, University of Detroit Law School (1994-1998)

**Government:** Legislative Assistant, U.S. Senator Robert P. Griffin (R-MI), United States Senate (1974-1979)

**Judicial:** Member, United States Judicial Conference Committee on Criminal Law (1995-2001)

**Chambers of District Judge Gerald E. Rosen continued**

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District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Michigan State 1969 BA; North Carolina 1972 JD  
Began Service: June 19, 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant Prosecutor, State of Michigan (1972-1975); Chief Trial Attorney, State of Michigan (1975-1977); Chief Assistant, State of Michigan (1977-1980); Prosecuting Attorney, State of Michigan (1981-1990)

**Legal Practice:** Law Offices of Delmer L. Cleland (1972-1975)

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**Nancy G. Edmunds**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Cornell 1969 BA; Chicago 1971 MA; Wayne State 1976 JD  
Began Service: February 10, 1992  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Academic:** Associate, Plymouth Canton Public Schools (1971-1973)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Ralph M. Freeman, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan (1976-1978)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Dykema Gossett (1978-1984); Partner, Dykema Gossett (1984-1992)

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District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Yale 1974 BA; Columbia 1977 JD  
Began Service: June 11, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant Corporation Counsel, City of Detroit, Michigan (1977-1982)

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan District Court, 36th District (1983-1989); Judge, Detroit Recorders Court (1989-1992); Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, Wayne County (1993-1994)

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Education: Michigan 1962 JD; Yale 1964 LLM  
Began Service: September 2, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Professor of Law, Wayne State University (1968-1979); Adjunct Instructor, University of Michigan Law School (1979-1995)

**Government:** Staff Attorney, United States Commission on Civil Rights (1962-1963); Assistant United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1964-1965); Special Counsel, Mayor Jerome P. Cavanagh (MI), City of Detroit, Michigan (1967-1968); Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Wayne County, County of Wayne, Michigan (1974-1975); Chief Federal Defender, Legal Aid and Defender Association (1979-1994)

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District Judge

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Education: Michigan 1969 BA, 1973 JD  
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**Government:** Administrative Assistant, Michigan State Senate (1971-1973); First Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, County of Genesee, Michigan (1978-1980); Public Administrator, Probate Court, County of Macomb, Michigan (1986-1989); Member, Board of Commissioners, County of Macomb, Michigan (1987-1988)

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan District Court, District 41-B (1989-1990); Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, Macomb County (1990-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Neale, Steeh & Hader (1980-1988)

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**Arthur J. Tarnow**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Wayne State 1963 BA, 1965 JD  
Began Service: May 26, 1998  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Lecturer in Law, Contract and Sales, University of Papua New Guinea Law School (1967-1968); Adjunct Professor, University of Detroit Mercy Law School (1970-2005)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Fitzgerald, Michigan Court of Appeals (1967)

**Government:** Chief Deputy Defender, Appeals, Legal Aid and Defenders Association, State of Detroit, Michigan (1969-1970); Foundation Appellate Defender, State of Michigan (1970-1972)

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**Victoria A. Roberts**  
 District Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1951  
 Education: Michigan 1973 BA; Northeastern 1976 JD  
 Began Service: August 11, 1998  
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**Academic:** Legal Research and Teaching Fellow, Detroit College of Law at Michigan State University (1977-1978)

**Government:** Research Attorney, Michigan Court of Appeals (1976-1977); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Michigan, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1985-1988)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Lewis, White, Clay & Graves, P.C. (and successor firms) (1977-1980); Shareholder, Lewis, White, Clay & Graves, P.C. (and successor firms) (1980-1983); Senior Litigation Attorney, American Motors Corporation (AMC) (1983-1985); Associate, Goodman, Eden, Millender & Bedrosian (1988-1993); Partner, Goodman, Eden, Millender & Bedrosian (1992-1998); Managing Partner, Goodman, Eden, Millender & Bedrosian (1995-1998)

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 Began Service: October 9, 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Government:** Associate, Michigan Social Welfare Commission (1963); Associate, Michigan Civil Rights Commission (1972-1975); Associate, Detroit Board of Police Commissioners (1975-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Irwin I. Cohn (1949-1961); Partner, Honigman Miller Schwartz & Cohn (1961-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1943-1946)

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**Judicial:** Judge, Common Pleas Court (1981); Judge, 36th District Court (1981-1982); Judge, Wayne County Circuit Court (1982-2000)

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**David M. Lawson**  
 District Judge

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 Education: Notre Dame 1972 BA; Wayne State 1976 JD  
 Began Service: August 4, 2000  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Visiting Professor, Thomas M. Cooley Law School (2003-2005)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John N. O'Brien, Oakland County Circuit Court (1973-1975); Law Clerk The Honorable James Ryan, Michigan Supreme Court (1976-1977)

**Government:** Investment Officer, C. Hugh Dohaney, Oakland County Treasurer (1975-1976); Special Assistant Attorney General, County of Oakland, Michigan (1979-1980); Special Prosecuting Attorney, County of Livingston, Michigan (1991-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Lawson & Lawson, P.C. (1977-1985); Partner, Lizza, Mulcahy, Casey & Lawson, P.C. (1985-1994); Member, Clark Hill P.L.C. (1994-2000)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Oakland County Bar Association

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**Sean F. Cox**  
 District Judge

Education: Michigan 1979 BGS; Detroit 1983 JD  
 Began Service: June 2006  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Kitch, Saurbier, Drutchas, Wagner & Kenney (1984-1989); Associate, Bloom & Kavanaugh (1989-1990); Partner, Cummings, McClorey, Davis & Acho, P.C. (1990-1996)

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**Thomas L. Ludington**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
 Education: Albion 1976 BA; San Diego 1979 JD  
 Began Service: June 30, 2006  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, 42nd Circuit Court of Michigan (1994-1999); Chief Judge, 42nd Circuit Court of Michigan (1999-2006)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Private Practice (1980-1994)

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**John Feikens**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1917  
 Education: Calvin Col 1938 BA; Michigan 1941 JD  
 Began Service: December 14, 1970  
 Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon  
 Political Affiliation: Republican

**Judicial:** Interim Judge, United States District Court (1960-1961)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Feikens, Dice, Sweeney, & Sullivan (1942-1960); Partner, Feikens, Dice, Sweeney, & Sullivan (1962-1970)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Detroit Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan

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**Julian Abele Cook, Jr.**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1930  
 Education: Penn State 1952 BA; Georgetown 1957 JD; Virginia 1988 LLM  
 Began Service: September 23, 1978  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, University of Detroit Law School (1971-1974)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Arthur E. Moore (1957-1958)

**Government:** Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Michigan (1968-1978)

**Judicial:** Instructor, United States Department of Justice Trial Advocacy Program (1989-1990); Member Emeritus, Michigan Association of Black Judges; Sixth Circuit Pattern Jury Instruction Committee

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1958-1978); General Counsel, Station WTVS Public TV (1973-1978)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1952-1954)

**Nonprofit:** Labor Arbitrator, American Arbitration Association and Michigan Employment Relations Commission (1975-1978)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Michigan Association of Black Judges; Michigan State Bar Foundation; National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; State Bar of Michigan; Wolverine Bar Association

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**Anna Diggs Taylor**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1932  
 Education: Barnard 1954 BA; Yale 1957 LLB  
 Began Service: 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Labor Law, Wayne State University Law School (1976)

**Government:** Attorney, Office of the Solicitor, United States Department of Labor (1957-1960); Assistant Prosecutor, State of Michigan (1961-1962); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Michigan, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1966); Office Manager and Legislative Assistant, U.S. Representative Charles Diggs (D-MI), United States House of Representatives (1970); Assistant Corporation Counsel, State of Michigan (1975-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Zwerdling, Maurer, Diggs & Papp (1970-1975)

**Current Memberships:** Yale Law School Association; Federal Bar Association; Michigan Association of Black Judges; National Lawyers Guild; State Bar of Michigan; Joint Steering Committee, Gender and Racial-Ethnic Fairness Task Force, United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit; Wolverine Bar Association; Women Lawyers Association of Michigan

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**Patrick J. Duggan**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
 Education: Xavier (OH) 1955 BS; Detroit 1958 LLB  
 Began Service: 1987  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Professor, Madonna University

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, Wayne County (1976-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Brashear, Duggan & Tangora (1958-1977)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Livonia Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan

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Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
 Education: Michigan State 1951 AB; Michigan 1953 JD  
 Began Service: January 6, 1989  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Legal Practice:** Hoffman & Rubenstein (1955-1960); Sole Practitioner (1960-1988)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1953-1955)

**Current Memberships:** Historical Society for the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan; Federal Judges Association; The Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies; Michigan Chapter, Incorporated Society of Irish-American Lawyers; Michigan State Bar Foundation; National Board of Trial Advocacy; Roscoe Pound American Trial Lawyers Foundation

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**Lawrence P. Zatkoff**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
 Education: Detroit 1962 BS; Detroit Law 1966 JD  
 Began Service: June 6, 1986  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Lecturer, Macomb County Community College; Faculty, Detroit College of Law (1968-1969)

**Corporate:** US Rubber Company (1962); Chrysler Corp. (1962-1966)

**Government:** Assistant Prosecuting Attorney (1967); Associate Government Appeal Agent, Selective Service Administration (1969-1972)

**Judicial:** Probate Judge, Macomb County Court (1978-1982); Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, Macomb County Judicial Circuit (1982-1986); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2001-2004)

**Legal Practice:** Moll, Desenberg, Purdy, Glover & Bayer (1966-1968); LaBarge, Zatkoff & Dinning (1968-1978)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Detroit Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; State Bar of Michigan

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**John Corbett O'Meara**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
 Education: Harvard 1962 LLB  
 Began Service: October 4, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, University of Detroit Law School (1965-1970)

**Government:** Staff Assistant, U.S. Senator Philip A. Hart (D-MI), United States Senate (1959-1961)

**Legal Practice:** Dickinson Wright (1962-1994)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1955-1959); United States Naval Reserve (1959-1970)

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**Steven D. Pepe**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
 Education: Notre Dame 1965 BA;  
 Michigan 1968 JD;  
 London School Econ (UK) 1972;  
 Harvard 1974 LLM  
 Began Service: December 2, 1983  
 Term Expires: December 1, 2007  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Clinical Teaching Fellow, Harvard Law School (1972-1974); Clinical Professor of Law and Director, Michigan Clinical Law Program, University of Michigan Law School (1974-1983); Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Detroit Law School (1985); Adjunct Lecturer, University of Michigan Law School (1985-1998)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Harold Leventhal, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia (1968-1969)

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**Charles E. Binder**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
 Education: Western Michigan 1971 BA; Duke 1974 JD  
 Began Service: October 1984  
 Term Expires: October 29, 2008

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Wendell Miles, United States District Court for the Western District of Michigan (1974-1976)

**Military Service:** Michigan Air National Guard (1981-1994); US Air Force Reserve (1994-2004)

**Current Memberships:** Bay County Bar Association; Eastern District of Michigan Chapter, Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; State Bar of Michigan

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**Virginia M. Morgan**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Michigan 1968 BS; Toledo 1975 JD  
 Began Service: June 6, 1985  
 Term Expires: June 2009

**Academic:** Teacher, San Diego Unified School System (1970-1972); Teacher, Oregon, Ohio School Systems (1972-1974); Instructor, Attorney General Trial Advocacy Institute, Washington, DC (1976-1996)

**Government:** Teacher, Bureau of Indian Affairs, United States Department of the Interior (1968-1970); Assistant County Prosecutor, County of Washtenaw, Michigan (1979-1985); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Michigan, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1979-1985); Instructor, Federal Judicial Center (1985-2006)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Michigan State Bar Foundation; State Bar of Michigan

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**Donald A. Scheer**  
 Magistrate Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1945  
 Education: Illinois Tech 1967 BS; Indiana 1974 JD  
 Began Service: March 1, 1994  
 Term Expires: March 1, 2010

**Government:** Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, State of Indiana (1975-1979);  
 Public Defender, State of Indiana (1979-1986); Assistant United States  
 Attorney, Eastern District of Michigan, Office of the United States  
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**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1967-1971)

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**R. Steven Whalen**  
 Magistrate Judge  
 Education: Illinois 1970 BA; Wayne State 1976 JD  
 Began Service: September 11, 2002  
 Term Expires: September 10, 2010

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**Mona K. Majzoub**  
 Magistrate Judge  
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##### Steven W. Rhodes

Chief Bankruptcy Judge  
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 Education: Purdue 1970 BS; Michigan 1972 JD  
 Began Service: March 22, 1985  
 Term Expires: March 21, 2013

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Feikens, United States District  
 Court for the District of Michigan (1973)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of  
 Michigan, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of  
 Justice (1974-1977)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern  
 District of Michigan (1981-1985); Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States  
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 United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Sixth Circuit (2003)

**Legal Practice:** August, Thompson, Sherr & Miller (1977-1978); Kelley &  
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**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; National Conference of  
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##### Walter Shapero

Bankruptcy Judge (recalled)  
 Date of Birth: 1930  
 Education: Michigan 1951 AB; Virginia 1954 LLB  
 Began Service: July 15, 2002

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Michigan Supreme Court (1954-1956)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature  
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Bankruptcy Judge  
 Began Service: July 2006  
 Term Expires: July 2020

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 Education: Wheaton (IL) 1966 BA;  
 Wayne State 1969 JD  
 Began Service: August 6, 1987  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Thomas M. Cooley Law School

**Government:** Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, State of Michigan  
 (1969-1973)

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan District Court, 55th Judicial Court (1973-1979);  
 Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, 30th Judicial Circuit (1979-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1970-1972)

**Current Memberships:** American Judicature Society; Christian Legal  
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Began Service: August 28, 1992  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Legal Practice:** Hollabaugh & Jacobs (1962-1964); Sonnenschein, Levinson, Carlin, Rosenthal, & Nath (1964-1966); Miller, Johnson, Snell & Cummiskey (1967-1992); Managing Partner, Miller, Johnson, Snell & Cummiskey (1986-1992)

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Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1916  
Education: Hope 1938 BA; Wyoming 1939 MA; Michigan 1942 JD  
Began Service: 1974  
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

**Academic:** Instructor, Hope College (1948-1953); Instructor, American Institute of Banking (1954-1959)

**Government:** Prosecuting Attorney, State of Michigan (1949-1953); United States Attorney, Western District of Michigan, United States Department of Justice (1953-1960)

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan Circuit Court, 20th Judicial Circuit (1970-1974); United States Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court (1989-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1948-1953); Partner, Miles, Mika, Meyers & Beckett (1961-1970)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1942-1947)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Ottawa County Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan

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Date of Birth: 1931  
Education: Wayne State 1958 LLB; Virginia 1986 LLM  
Began Service: December 21, 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Faculty, Western Michigan University (1961-1962); Faculty, Nazareth College (1974-1975); Adjunct Professor of Political Science, Western Michigan University (1982)

**Government:** Director, United States Peace Corps (1965-1967)

**Judicial:** Judge, Michigan District Court (1968-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Stratton, Wise, Early & Starbuck (1958-1960); Partner, Bauckham & Enslen (1960-1964); Howard & Howard (1970-1976); Partner, Enslen & Schma (1977-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1951-1954)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; State Bar of Michigan

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**Hugh W. Brenneman, Jr.**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Alma 1967 BA; Michigan 1970 JD  
Began Service: April 1, 1980

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Western Michigan University; Adjunct Professor, Grand Valley State University

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Marvin Salmon, Michigan Circuit Court, 30th Judicial Circuit (1970-1971)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Michigan, United States Department of Justice (1974-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1977-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1971-1974)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; The District of Columbia Bar; Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Historical Society of the United States District Court for the Western District of Michigan; State Bar of Michigan

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**Joseph G. Scoville**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Michigan State 1971 BA; Michigan 1974 JD  
Began Service: January 27, 1988  
Term Expires: January 2012

**Legal Practice:** McDermott, Will & Emery (1974-1976); Warner, Norcross & Judd (1976-1988)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Grand Rapids Bar Association; State Bar of Michigan

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Term Expires: 2013

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**Ellen S. Carmody**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Michigan 1983 JD  
Began Service: October 11, 2000  
Term Expires: October 11, 2008

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Michigan State University School of Law

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Douglas W. Hillman, United States District Court for the Western District of Michigan (1983-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Law, Weathers & Richardson (1985-2000)

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Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1942

Education: Rutgers 1964 BA; Detroit Law 1979 JD

Began Service: 1987

Term Expires: December 2014

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Vincent J. Brennan, Michigan Court of Appeals (1979-1981); Law Clerk The Honorable Cornelia G. Kennedy, United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit (1981-1982)

**Judicial:** Member, American Bar Association

**Legal Practice:** Hertzberg, Jacob & Weingarter (1985-1987)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Grand Rapids Bar Association; Women Lawyers Association of Michigan

**Staff**

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge James D. Gregg** *continued*

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Michigan

**Legal Practice:** Auditor and Law Clerk, Schmier, Fealk & Ellis (1974-1977); Schmidt, Howlett, Van't Hof, Snell & Vana (1977-1983); Varnum, Riddering, Schmidt & Howlett (1983-1987)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Grand Rapids Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; State Bar of Michigan

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**Jeffrey R. Hughes**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
Education: Michigan 1977 BA, 1980 JD  
Began Service: January 6, 2000  
Term Expires: January 2014  
Political Affiliation: Independent



**Legal Practice:** Associate and Partner, Varnum, Riddering, Schmidt & Howlett (1980-1999)

**Current Memberships:** State Bar of Michigan

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Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Minnesota 1966 BA, 1969 JD  
Began Service: July 18, 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Attorney, AmeriCorps (1969-1970); United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985)

**Judicial:** Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2006)

**Legal Practice:** Staff Attorney, Leadership Council for Metropolitan Open Communities (1970-1972); Associate, Katz, Taube, Lange & Frommelt (1973-1977); Rosenbaum & Rosenbaum (1977-1979); Partner, Gainsley, Squier & Kosh (1979-1981)

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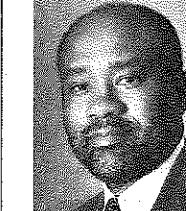
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**Michael J. Davis**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Macalester 1969 BA;  
Minnesota 1972 JD  
Began Service: March 30, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



**Academic:** Trial Practice Instructor, William Mitchell College of Law (1977-1981); Adjunct Professor, Hubert H. Humphrey School of Public Affairs (1990)

**Government:** Attorney, Litigation Division, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (1973); Criminal Defense Lawyer, Office of the Public Defender, County of Hennepin, Minnesota (1978-1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, Hennepin County Municipal Court, Fourth Judicial District (1983-1984); Judge, Hennepin County District Court, Fourth Judicial District (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Criminal Defense Lawyer, Neighborhood Justice Center, Inc. (1974); Criminal Defense Lawyer, Legal Rights Center, Inc. (1975-1978)

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**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; International Academy of Trial Judges; Minnesota Association of Black Lawyers; Minnesota Lawyers International Human Rights Committee; National Bar Association

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**John R. Tunheim**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
Education:  
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Minnesota 1980 JD  
Began Service: December 29, 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



**Academic:** Lecturer, University of Minnesota Law School (1985-1995); Adjunct Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Minnesota Law School (1994)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Hon. Earl Larson, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1980-1981)

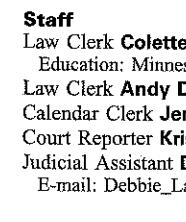
**Government:** Staff Assistant, U.S. Senator Hubert H. Humphrey (D-MN), United States Senate (1975-1978); Assistant Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1984-1985); Solicitor General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1985-1986); Chief Deputy Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1986-1995); Chair, United States Assassination Records Review Board (1994-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Oppenheimer, Wolff, Foster, Shepard & Donnelly (1981-1984)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Douglas K. Amdahl American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Judicial Conference of the United States; Minnesota State Bar Association; District 19, Minnesota State Bar Association

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**Ann D. Montgomery**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Kansas 1971 BS; Minnesota 1974 JD  
Began Service: August 6, 1996  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, University of Minnesota Law School (1988-1994)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Gerard D. Reilly, District of Columbia Court of Appeals (1974-1976)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1976-1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, Hennepin County Municipal Court (1983-1985); Judge, Hennepin County District Court (1985-1994); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1994-1996)

**Current Memberships:** American Judicature Society; Eighth Circuit District Judges Association; Federal Bar Association; Hennepin County Bar Association; Minnesota Judges Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; Minnesota Women Lawyers; National Association of Women Judges

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Date of Birth: 1951  
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Began Service: November 2, 1998  
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**Government:** Assistant County Attorney, County of St. Louis, Minnesota (1977-1985)

**Judicial:** Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1985-1998); Assistant Chief Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1989-1991); Chief Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1991-1996)

**Current Memberships:** The Richard T. Oakes American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Board of Directors, Minnesota Chapter, Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers; Minnesota State Bar Association; Range County Bar Association

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**Joan N. Erickson**

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 Education: St Olaf 1977 BA; Minnesota 1981 JD  
 Began Service: June 14, 2002  
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**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Minnesota,  
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**Judicial:** Judge, Fourth Judicial District Court, Hennepin County, MN  
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**Donald D. Alsop**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1927  
 Education: Minnesota 1950 BSL, 1952 LLB  
 Began Service: January 17, 1975  
 Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Felhaber & Larson (1952-1954); Partner,  
 Gislason, Alsop, Dosland & Hunter (1954-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1945-1946)

**Current Memberships:** Eighth Circuit District Judges Association; Federal  
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Date of Birth: 1937  
 Education: Gustavus Adolphus 1959 BA;  
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 Began Service: 1981  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan



**Academic:** Instructor, William Mitchell College of Law (1984-1992); Jurist  
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 College (1986); Jurist in Residence, Bethel College (1986); Jurist in  
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 University of Minnesota - Morris (1987); Jurist in Residence, St. Johns  
 University (1988); Jurist in Residence, College of St. Benedict (1988)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney then Partner, LeVander, Gillen, Miller &  
 Magnuson (1963-1981)

**Current Memberships:** American Association of Justice; American Bar  
 Association; American Judicature Society; Dakota County Bar Association;  
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 Began Service: May 1987  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Instructor, William Mitchell College of Law (1965-1966)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Felhaber, Larson, Fenlon & Vogt (1961-1962);  
 Partner, Popham, Haik, Schnobrich, Kaufman & Doty (1962-1987)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1952-1958)

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**Richard H. Kyle**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1937  
 Education: Minnesota 1959 BA, 1962 LLB  
 Began Service: May 15, 1992  
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Edward J. Devitt (1962-1963)

**Government:** Solicitor General, State of Minnesota (1968-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Briggs and Morgan (1963-1968); Briggs and Morgan  
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**Current Memberships:** Minnesota State Bar Association; Ramsey County  
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**Raymond L. Erickson**  
Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
 Education: Minnesota 1970 JD  
 Began Service: 1992

**Military Service:** United States Army (1970-1974)

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**Franklin L. Noel**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
 Education: SUNY (Binghamton) 1974 BA; Georgetown 1977 JD  
 Began Service: November 3, 1989  
 Term Expires: November 2013  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Faculty, Law School, University of Minnesota, Twin  
 Cities

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, Law School, University of Minnesota  
 (1989-1992)

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney,  
 State of Minnesota (1979-1983); Assistant United States Attorney, District  
 of Minnesota, Office of the District Attorney, United States Department of  
 Justice (1983-1989)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Arnold & Porter (1977-1979)

**Current Memberships:** Hennepin County Bar Association; Minnesota  
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**Arthur J. Boylan**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Chicago-Kent 1976 JD  
 Began Service: November 1, 1996  
 Term Expires: October 31, 2012

**Judicial:** Judge, Minnesota District Court (1986-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Hulstrand, Anderson, Larson & Boylan (1976-1986)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges  
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Magistrate Judge

Began Service: June 1, 2000  
Term Expires: 2008

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Magistrate Judge

Education: Minnesota JD  
Began Service: February 7, 2003

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**Mary Kay Klein**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)  
Education: St Cloud State BA; North Dakota JD  
Began Service: January 3, 2003

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Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: Cornell 1973 BA; Boston Col 1977 JD  
Began Service: May 24, 1984  
Term Expires: September 30, 2014

**Government:** Attorney, Legal Aid Service of Northeastern Minnesota  
(1978-1981)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Minnesota (1984-2006); Pro Tem Member, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Eighth Circuit (1996-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1981-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; Minnesota State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Robert J. Kressel**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Notre Dame 1969 AB;  
Harvard 1972 JD  
Began Service: December 6, 1982  
Term Expires: December 4, 2014

**Affiliation:** Chief Judge of the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Eighth Circuit; Adjunct Professor, School of Law, University of St. Thomas

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Hamline University (1983-1984); Adjunct Professor, William Mitchell College of Law (1986-1994)

**Government:** Hearing Examiner, Minnesota Office of Hearing Examiners (1978-1980); Referee, Hennepin County Conciliation Court (1979); Bankruptcy Analyst, Office of the United States Trustee, United States Department of Justice (1979-1981); Assistant United States Trustee, United States Department of Justice (1981-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Kressel, Cecere & Seiler (1972-1976); Partner, Nichols, Kressel & Johnson (1976-1978); Private Practice (1978-1979)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Robert J. Kressel continued**

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**Dennis D. O'Brien**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: William Mitchell 1974 JD  
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**Government:** Public Defender, Juvenile Court, County of St. Louis, Missouri

**Current Memberships:** Minnesota State Bar Association

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**Nancy C. Dreher**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Wisconsin 1964 BA, 1967 JD  
Began Service: January 1, 1988  
Term Expires: January 27, 2016



**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, William Mitchell College of Law (1981-1982)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Roger Traynor, California Supreme Court (1967-1968)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Eighth Circuit (2006); Editor, Bankruptcy Law Manual, Bankruptcy Service Lawyers Edition Alert

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Leonard, Street & Deinard (1968-1988)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Bankruptcy; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Glen H. Davidson**

Chief Judge  
Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: Mississippi 1962 BA, 1965 JD  
Began Service: October 29, 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Affiliation:** Member, Chambers of Member Glen H. Davidson, Judicial Conference of the United States

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, First Judicial District, Office of the District Attorney, State of Mississippi (1969-1974); District Attorney, First Judicial District, State of Mississippi (1975); United States Attorney, Northern District of Mississippi, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Riley Davidson & Weir (1969-1973); Partner, Carnathan & Davidson (1973-1981)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1966-1969)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Lee County Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; The Mississippi Bar Foundation, The Mississippi Bar

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**W. Allen Pepper, Jr.**  
District Judge  
  
Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: Mississippi 1963 BA, 1968 JD  
Began Service: July 21, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Delta State University  
**Government:** Part-time Public Defender, Municipal Court, County of Bolivar, Mississippi (1972-1998); Member, Elections Commission, County of Bolivar, Mississippi (1976-1988); Chairman, Elections Commission, County of Bolivar, Mississippi (1984-1988)

**Legal Practice:** W. Allen Pepper Jr. P.A. (1972-1999)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1964-1966)

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**Michael P. Mills**  
District Judge  
  
Date of Birth: 1956  
Education: Mississippi 1978 BA, 1980 JD;  
Virginia 2001 LLM  
Began Service: November 1, 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Member, Mississippi House of Representatives (1984-1995)  
**Judicial:** Justice, Mississippi Supreme Court (1995-2001)  
**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1980-1995)

**Chambers of Magistrate Judge Jerry A. Davis** *continued*

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1971-1972); United States Army (1972-1975)

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**Neal B. Biggers**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Millsaps 1956 BA;  
Mississippi 1963 JD  
Began Service: 1984  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Assistant Instructor, University of Mississippi (1974)

**Government:** County Prosecuting Attorney, State of Mississippi (1964); District Attorney, First Judicial District, State of Mississippi (1968-1975)

**Judicial:** Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, First Judicial District (1975-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1963-1968)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1956-1960); United States Naval Reserve (1961-1966)

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Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: William Woods 1973 BA; Mississippi 1978 JD  
Began Service: November 17, 1994

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William C. Keady, United States District Court for the Northern District of Mississippi

**Legal Practice:** Holcomb, Dunbar, Connell, Merkel, Tollison & Khayat (1980-1982); Partner, Tollison & Alexander (1982-1992); Partner, Tollison, Austin & Twiford (1992-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; The Mississippi Bar Foundation, The Mississippi Bar

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**Eugene M. Bogen**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Virginia 1965 BA;  
Mississippi 1968 JD  
Began Service: 1995

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, Fourth District (1987-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Bogen & Bogen (1968-1975); Wynn Bogen & Mitchell (1976-1983); Private Practice (1983-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Mississippi Bar

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**David Winston Houston III**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Mississippi 1966 BBA, 1969 JD  
Began Service: July 18, 1983  
Term Expires: December 31, 2012

**Government:** Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice (1969-1972); Assistant District Attorney, First Circuit, State of Mississippi (1975-1976); City Attorney, City of Aberdeen, Mississippi (1976-1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, Aberdeen Municipal Court (1974-1976)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Houston, Chamberlin & Houston (1972-1983)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; First Judicial District Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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**Government:** Attorney Adviser, Office of Privacy and Information Appeals, United States Department of Justice (1975-1978); Assistant Counsel, Office of Professional Responsibility, United States Department of Justice (1978-1980); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Mississippi, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1980-1984)



**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, Fourth District (1987-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Bogen & Bogen (1968-1975); Wynn Bogen & Mitchell (1976-1983); Private Practice (1983-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Mississippi Bar

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### Henry T. Wingate

Chief Judge  
Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Grinnell 1969 BA; Yale 1972 JD  
Began Service: October 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Adjunct Instructor, Golden Gate University (1975-1976); Adjunct Lecturer, Tidewater Community College (1976); Adjunct Professor, Mississippi College School of Law (1978-1984); Lecturer, Mississippi Judicial College (1980-1984); Lecturer, University of Houston Law Center (1984); Instructor, Jackson State University; National College of District Attorneys

**Government:** Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Mississippi (1976-1980); Assistant District Attorney, Seventh Circuit Court, State of Mississippi (1980-1984); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Mississippi, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1984-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk, Community Legal Aid (1972-1973)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1973-1976); United States Naval Reserve (1983-1985)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Hinds County Bar Association; Magnolia Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; National Bar Association

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Education: Delta State 1972 BSE

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### Louis Guirola, Jr.

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: William Carey 1973 BA; Mississippi 1979 JD  
Began Service: April 9, 1996

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, 19th Judicial District, District Attorney's Office (1980-1984); Assistant U.S. Attorney, United States Attorney's Office (1990-1993)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Texas (1993-1996); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi (1996-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Boyce, Holloman & Associates, P.A. (1979-1980); Attorney, Guirola & Jackson P.A. (1986-1990)

### Staff

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### Keith Starrett

District Judge

Began Service: January 1, 2005  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

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### Daniel Porter Jordan III

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1964  
Education: Mississippi 1987 BBA; Virginia 1993 JD  
Began Service: August 2006  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Butler, Snow, O'Mara, Stevens & Cannada, PLLC (1993-1999); Equity Member, Butler, Snow, O'Mara, Stevens & Cannada, PLLC

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### Dan M. Russell, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1913  
Education: Mississippi 1935 BA, 1937 JD  
Began Service: October 25, 1965  
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson

**Government:** City Attorney, City of Waveland, Mississippi; Attorney, Mississippi Marine Conservation Committee; Attorney, Board of Supervisors, County of Hancock, Mississippi

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1938-1952); Associate, Russell & Favre (1952-1965)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1941-1945)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Federalist Society of Mississippi; Hancock County Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar

### Staff

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### L. T. Senter, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933  
Education: Southern Mississippi 1956 BS; Mississippi 1959 LLB  
Began Service: January 1, 1980  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Government:** Prosecuting Attorney, State of Mississippi (1960-1964); United States Commissioner, Office of the United States Commissioner (1966-1968)

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, First Judicial District (1968-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1959-1961); Partner, Patterson, Senter & King (1961-1968)

**Current Memberships:** Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; The Mississippi Bar

### Staff

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Education: Oregon 1964 BA;  
New Orleans 1970 MA

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### Walter J. Gex III

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
Education: Mississippi 1962 BBA, 1963 LLB  
Began Service: 1986  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Judicial:** Special Master, Mississippi Chancery Court, Hancock County

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Satterfield, Shell, Williams & Buford (1963-1972); Partner, Gex, Gex & Phillips (1972-1986)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; The Mississippi Bar

### Staff

Secretary **Kathleen A. Gex** ..... (228) 563-1732

### Chambers of Senior Judge William H. Barbour, Jr.

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### William H. Barbour, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: Princeton 1963 BA; Mississippi 1966 JD; NYU 1966  
Began Service: April 1983  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Youth Counselor, Yazoo City Court (1971-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Henry, Barbour & DeCell (1966-1983)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Charles Clark American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court

### Staff

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### David C. Bramlette III

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
Education: Princeton 1962 BA; Mississippi 1965 JD  
Began Service: December 1991  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Judicial:** Special Circuit Judge, Mississippi District Court, Sixth Judicial District; Judge, Adams County Court

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Adams, Forman, Truly, Ward & Bramlette (1975-1991)

**Current Memberships:** Adams County Bar Association; American Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; The Mississippi Bar

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**Tom Stewart Lee**  
 Senior Judge  
 Date of Birth: 1941  
 Education: Mississippi Col 1963 BA; Mississippi 1965 JD  
 Began Service: June 25, 1984  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Prosecuting Attorney, County of Scott, Mississippi (1968-1971)

**Judicial:** Judge, Scott County Youth Court (1979-1982); Judge, Forest Municipal Court

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Lee and Lee (1965-1984)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1965-1973)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Hinds County Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; Scott County Bar Association

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**John M. Roper, Sr.**  
 Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
 Education: Auburn 1964 BS; Tulane 1968 JD  
 Began Service: July 1, 1975  
 Term Expires: July 30, 2007  
 Political Affiliation: Independent

**Academic:** Program Director, Milne Juvenile Delinquency Institution (1967-1969)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi (1969-1975)

**Military Service:** Army National Guard (1968-1971); Air National Guard (1971-1974)

**Current Memberships:** Alabama State Bar; Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; The Mississippi Bar

**Staff**  
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**James C. Sumner**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
 Education: Washington and Lee 1966 BA; Mississippi 1969 JD  
 Began Service: October 1, 1993  
 Term Expires: October 1, 2009

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Mississippi Supreme Court (1970)

**Government:** State Representative (MS), Mississippi House of Representatives (1972-1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, Fifth Judicial District (1983-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1970-1983)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; The Mississippi Bar

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 Education: Belhaven 1978 BA;  
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 Education: Southern Mississippi 1991 BS;  
 Mississippi Col 1996 JD

Courtroom Deputy Clerk **Caroline Frazier** ..... (601) 965-4292  
 Education: Mississippi Women 1970 BS

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**Robert H. Walker**  
 Magistrate Judge

Began Service: November 15, 2004

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Career Law Clerk **Stephen King** ..... (228) 563-1720

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**Michael T. Parker**  
 Magistrate Judge

Began Service: May 26, 2006

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**Linda R. Anderson**  
 Magistrate Judge

Began Service: July 2006

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, County of Hinds, Mississippi; Assistant U.S. Attorney, United States Attorneys Office, United States Department of Justice

**Chambers of Magistrate Judge Linda R. Anderson** *continued*

**Staff**

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**Number of Judgeships:** 2

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**Edward Ellington**

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1940

Education: Mississippi State 1962 BS; Mississippi 1967 JD

Began Service: January 15, 1986

Term Expires: January 15, 2014

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. P. Coleman, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit; Law Clerk The Honorable Henry Lee Rodgers, Mississippi Supreme Court

**Government:** State Senator (MS), Mississippi State Senate

**Military Service:** United States Army

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Maureen C. Burke** ..... (601) 965-5301

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 Mississippi 1987 JD

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**Edward R. Gaines**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1940

Education: Rhodes 1962 BA; Mississippi 1963 MA, 1968 JD

Began Service: September 1986

Term Expires: September 2014

**Government:** Prosecuting Attorney, City of Gulfport, Mississippi

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Palmer & Gaines (1968-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Coast Guard Reserve

**Current Memberships:** Mississippi Bankruptcy Conference; National Bankruptcy Judges Conference

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk **Carole Evans** ..... (228) 563-1840  
 Education: Mississippi 1980 BA, 1983 JD

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Edward R. Gaines** *continued*  
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**Neil P. Olack**

Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Lehigh BA; Emory 1981 JD  
 Began Service: 2006

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Atlanta, GA Office, Duane Morris LLP

**Nonprofit:** Vice President, Education, American Bankruptcy Institute; Executive Committee Member, American Bankruptcy Institute

### United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri

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**Number of Judgeships:** 17

**Areas Covered:** Counties of Adair, Audrain, Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Chariton, Clark, Crawford, Dent, Dunklin, Franklin, Gasconade, Iron, Jefferson, Knox, Lewis, Lincoln, Linn, Macon, Madison, Maries, Marion, Mississippi, Monroe, Montgomery, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Perry, Phelps, Pike, Ralls, Randolph, Reynolds, Ripley, Schuyler, Scotland, Scott, Shannon, Shelby, St. Charles, St. Francois, St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, Stoddard, Warren, Washington and Wayne

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**Legal Practice:** Associate, Thompson & Mitchell (1976-1983); Senior Attorney, Mallinckrodt, Inc. (1983-1985)

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**Jean C. Hamilton**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945

Education: Wellesley 1968 AB; Washington U (MO) 1971 JD; Yale 1982 LLM

Began Service: November 1990

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Corporate:** Attorney, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (1978-1981)

**Government:** Attorney, Civil Rights Division, United States Department of Justice (1971-1973); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Missouri, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1973-1978)

**Judicial:** Judge, Missouri Circuit Court, 22nd Judicial Circuit (1982-1988); Judge, Missouri Court of Appeals, Eastern District (1988-1990)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis; Federal Judges Association; Lawyers Association of St. Louis; The Missouri Bar; National Association of Women Judges; Women Lawyers' Association of Greater St. Louis

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**Charles A. Shaw**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944

Education: Harris-Stowe State 1966 BA; Missouri 1971 MBA; Catholic U 1974 JD

Began Service: January 3, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Teacher, St. Louis Public School System (1966-1969); Teacher, District of Columbia Public Schools (1969-1971)

**Government:** Law Clerk, United States Department of Justice (1972-1973); Law Clerk, National Labor Relations Board (1973-1974); Attorney, Division of Enforcement Litigation, Appellate Court Branch, National Labor Relations Board (1974-1976); Assistant United States Attorney, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1980-1987)

**Judicial:** Judge, Missouri Circuit Court, 22nd Judicial Circuit (1987-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Lashly, Caruthers, Thies, Rava & Hamel (1976-1980)

**Current Memberships:** The Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis; The District of Columbia Bar; Lawyers Association of St. Louis; The Missouri Bar; Mound City Bar Association

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**Catherine D. Perry**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952

Education: Oklahoma 1977 BA; Washington U (MO) 1980 JD

Began Service: October 21, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, School of Law, Washington University (1981-1984); Adjunct Professor, School of Law, Washington University (1991-1992)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri (1990-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Armstrong, Teasdale, Shlaifly, Davis, and Dicus (1980-1990)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis; Federal Judges Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; The Missouri Bar; National Association of Women Judges; Women Lawyers' Association of Greater St. Louis

**Staff**

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Term Expires: September 2007

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Term Expires: September 2008

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**E. Richard Webber, Jr.**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942

Education: Missouri 1964 BS, 1967 JD

Began Service: January 8, 1996

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Prosecuting Attorney, County of Schuyler, Missouri (1967-1975); Prosecuting Attorney, County of Putnam, Missouri (1968); Prosecuting Attorney, County of Scotland, Missouri (1969-1971)

**Chambers of District Judge E. Richard Webber, Jr.** *continued***Staff**

Judicial: Judge, Missouri Circuit Court, First Judicial Circuit (1979-1995)

**Legal Practice:** E. Richard Webber, Attorney at Law (1967-1971); Webber and Green (1971-1975); E. Richard Webber, Attorney at Law (1975-1979)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Missouri Bar

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**Rodney W. Sippel**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956

Education: Tulsa 1978 BS; Washington U (MO) 1981 JD

Began Service: January 27, 1998

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Staff Assistant, U.S. Senator Thomas F. Eagleton (D-MO), United States Senate (1979-1982); Administrative Assistant, U.S. Representative Richard A. Gephardt (D-MO), United States House of Representative (1993-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Husch & Eppenberger (1982-1988); Partner, Husch & Eppenberger (1989-1993); Partner, Husch & Eppenberger (1995-1998)

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Education: Saint Louis U 1996 JD

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**Henry Edward Autrey**

District Judge

Date of Birth: March 18, 1952

Education: Saint Louis U 1974 BS, 1977 JD

Began Service: September 16, 2002

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, School of Law, Saint Louis University (1991-1997)

**Government:** Assistant Circuit Attorney, Office of Circuit Attorney, City of St. Louis, Missouri (1977-1984); First Assistant Circuit Attorney, Office of Circuit Attorney, City of St. Louis, Missouri (1984-1986)

**Chambers of District Judge Henry Edward Autrey** *continued*

**Judicial:** Associate Circuit Judge, Twenty-second Judicial Circuit Court City of St. Louis (1986-1997); Circuit Judge, Twenty-second Judicial Circuit Court City of St. Louis (1997-2002)

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**Stephen N. Limbaugh**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1927

Education: Southeast Missouri State 1950 BA; Missouri 1951 JD

Began Service: July 21, 1983

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Prosecuting Attorney, State of Missouri (1953-1957); City Attorney, State of Missouri (1964-1968)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Limbaugh, Limbaugh, Russell & Syler (1951-1983)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1945-1946)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Missouri Bar

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